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The Bicentennial Yearbook Staff
of
Harvey S. Firestone High School
Presents

The 1976 Volplane

Volume 12

Akron, Ohio

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The dedication

Miss Nancy Mettler has taught English at Firestone since the school opened in 1962. Each year, she has put forth her best effort to help students and has been a faculty advisor. She has exhausted herself time and time again grading research papers, exams or composition tests. She has often taken time out from her free periods to talk with students. This year Miss Mettler taught English Lit. I, English Lit. II, Composition, and Advanced Placement English. She was also faculty advisor to the Baccalaureate Committee.

Miss Mettler was born in Akron and graduated from Buchtel High School. She then received degrees from Mt. Holyoke College and Case Western Reserve University. Before coming to Firestone she taught at Central High School. Her retirement this year ends a 35 year teaching career.

Throughout her teaching years, Miss Mettler possessed the rare traits that appear in all good teachers. Her patience, rapport with students, and understanding have made her an invaluable part of our lives. She taught not only from the pages of many books, but she taught from her own experiences. Her retirement will prove to be a loss to future Firestone students.

We, the VOLPLANE staff of 1976, dedicate the bicentennial yearbook to her, in appreciation of her service to the school. We wish her much happiness in all of her future endeavors.

Spirit is something . . .

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1. The bicentennial varsity cheerleaders,Shelley Bymakos, Debbie Burnham, Ginger Bennett, Leslie Smith, Lydia Voth and Sally Shaw, lead the Falcon fans at a football game. 2. Fans turn out in mass to support the gridders at the annual Homecoming contest. 3. A happy Margie Mann enjoys the Senior Fall Picnic.

1. Seniors prove their acting ability in MASH, the Senior Class Play. 2. Lydia Voth and Ron Peterson did not dress up at the Halloween Party. 3. The bug was never jittered better than by Beth Ireland and Bob Zupke. 4. Steve McAbee, Laurie McCauley and Pete Allread sport their true identities at the Halloween Party. 5. Kim Bly explains how to form a pyramid at the Fall Picnic.

we've got plenty of

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1. The symbol of school spirit 2. Marc Bass and Brent Friedman beat their drums. 3. Swimmers show their spirit. 4. Joe Flohr demonstrates good sportsmanship. 5. Leslie Smith takes center stage.

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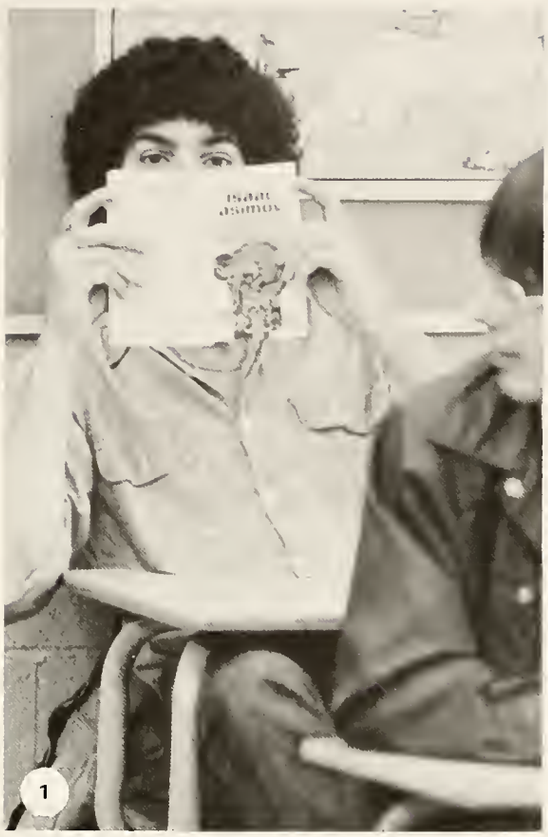
1. The football team is put through the paces. 2. Bob Zupke clowns around. 3. Falcon battles with the bag. 4. The football team looks alive. 5. This can't be a pep assembly!

You name it, we've got it and . . .

1. Four trombones lead the big parade. 2. Kim Crawford is a bit of the past. 3. John Ramsey supervises the road rally. 4. Dawn Galloway gasps for breath after a swim. 5. Sue Davis takes a three-quarter rest.

1. Noula Poleondakis complains to Judy Brown, "That was my solution!" 2. Tim Sellars cuts and pastes in art class. 3. Naomi Klayman knows a good book when she sees one—VOLPLANE! 4. Emily York—what a cut-up 5. Bill Boesche asks, "I suppose you're wondering why I called this meeting."

it's all for you



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1. Scott Sobat hides behind his book. 2. It's finally 3:15. 3. Donna Ermatinger and Cathy Schlossberg open wide. 4. Greg Krone dreams about the weekend. 5. Mr. Johnson helps Adell Gemmell with her physics.

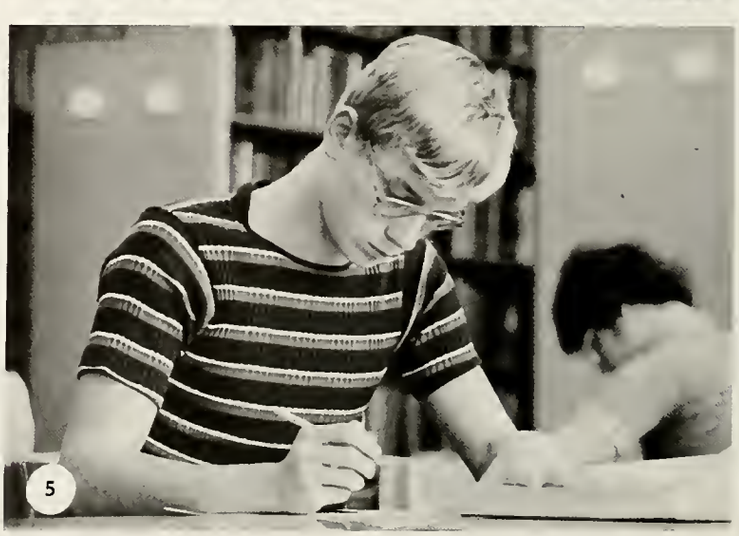
1. Roseann Kelly smiles at a friend. 2. Bob Nold, Mike Kemp, and Mark McDonald spend their lunchtime in the gym balcony. 3. Todd Peterson cracks a smile. 4 Val Center and Cindy Boyer block traffic. 5. Students scurry to the sill.

A school without students . . .

1. Beth Ireland and Laura Linehan 2. Noula Poleondakis 3. Lauren Linehan
4. Jeff Jackson 5. The Senior Halloween Party 6. Little Red Riding Hood

1. Firestone's new cheerleaders do the can-can. 2. It's a good year for Jim Redmond and Kim Bly. 3. Ron Peterson, Lauren Linehan, and Brenda Burnham stick together. 4. Bob Zupke hams it up. 5. Class President Daniel Riew addresses the student body. 6. Joe Flohr grins and bears it.

is like a day without sunshine



1. David Shriver hides in the corner. 2. Leslie Sandel knows the angles. 3. Scott Weiner seeks his other sock. 4. Silence is not a virtue for Cathy Wagner and Marlene Zetzer. 5. Steve Smith at home in his home away from home

1. Bob Beland watches the birdie not his fingers. 2. Kim Crawford wishes she had never kissed the toad. 3. Junior girls invade the senior bench. 4. Nancy McDonald, Beth Gillman, and Mark Axelrod "hang out at the hop." 5. Shelly Bymakos boasts, "My group had 34% fewer cavities." 6. Jeanne Schauer and Lucy Owens eye the action.

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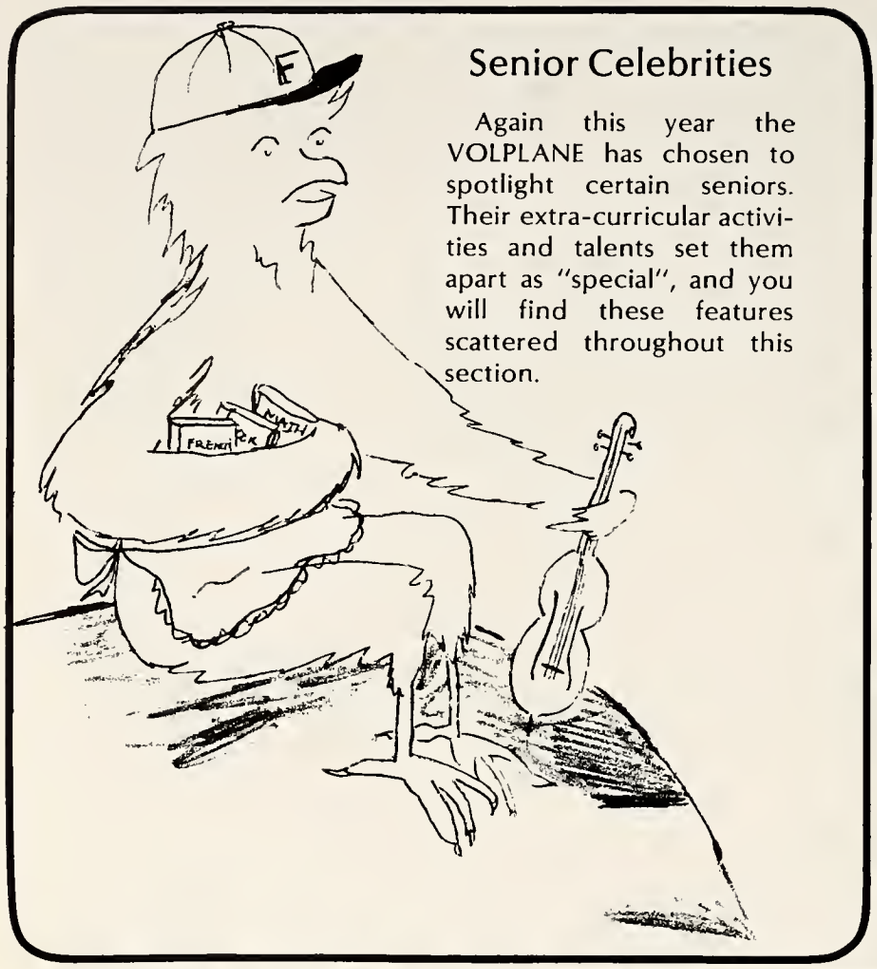

Senior Celebrities

Again this year the VOLPLANE has chosen to spotlight certain seniors. Their extra-curricular activities and talents set them apart as "special", and you will find these features scattered throughout this section.

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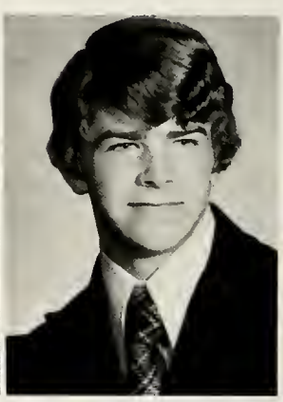
Karla Albright

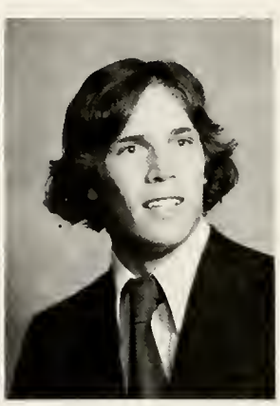
Karen Alexander



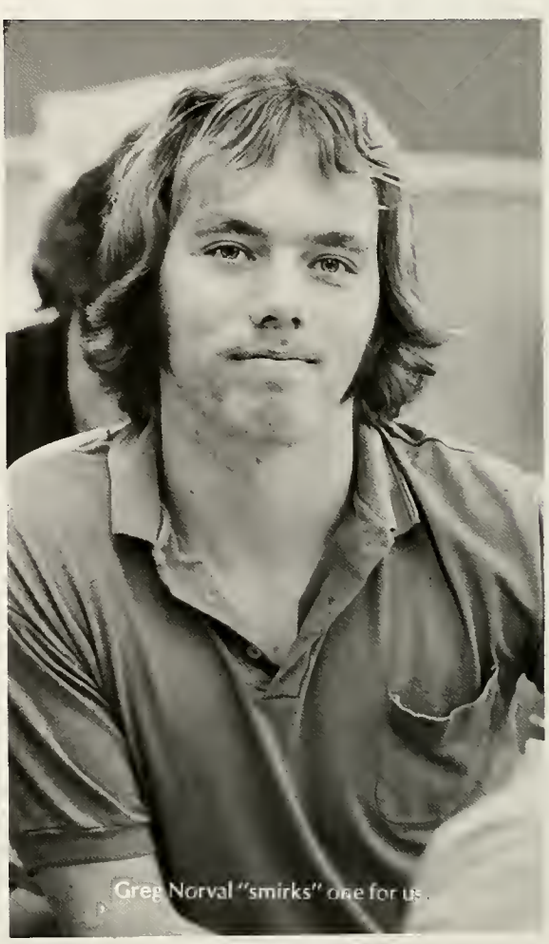
David Allen

Christine Alley

Lisa Allison

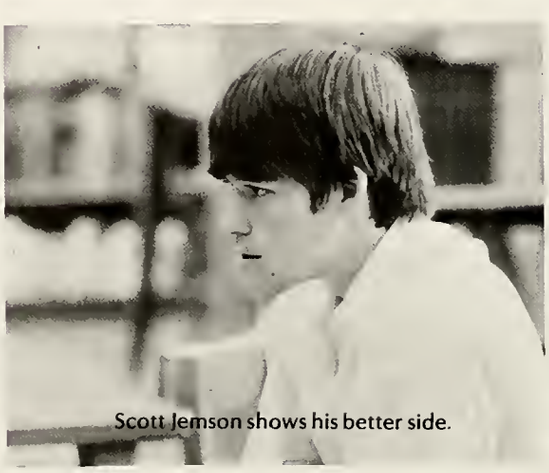


Peter Allread



Greg Norval "smirks" one for us.

Victoria Altman



Scott Jemson shows his better side.

Sylvia Awadalla keeps her balance at the Roller Skating Party.

Michael Ameling

Deborah Anders

Jeffrey Anderson

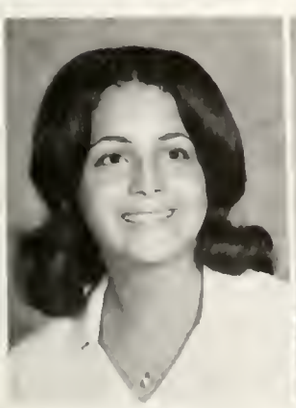
Margaret Andreeff

David Archey

Sylvia Armstrong

Seniors take a breather at the Rollercade.

Sylvia Awadalla



Leann Ayoup

Barbara Bader

George Bain II

Eric Ball

Mark Ballard

Ken Underwood, Don Hecker, Dave VanAuker, and Liz Logan see things from different points of view.

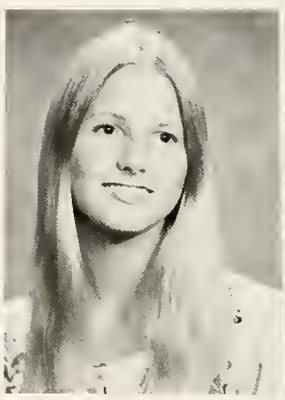
Michael Bangs

Thomas Barbernitz

Susan Barnett

Sindy Barron

James Bartoo Jr.



Claudia Batug

Gloria Bauman

Keith Beach

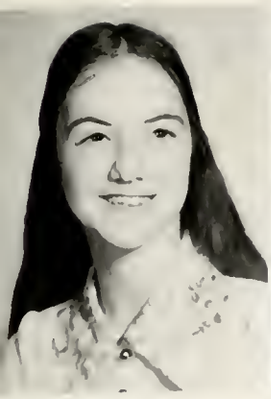
Robert Beals

Alice Beatty

Richard Belden

Laura Mills looks to see if she's being watched.

Has Larry Stout been drafted?



Diane Benninger

Robert Beringer

Carol Bertolini

Marian Billman

[illegible] hat Kim Glenn sees in him

Monica Albrecht uses Ultrabright!

Karin Bird

Claudia Black

Tracy Black

Ruth Blazey

Bruce Bleiman

Kimberly Bly

Kurt Bond

Erica Botosan

John Boucher

Karla Brasaemle

Karla Brekke

Barbara Bremer

Sally Shaw concentrates on the game.

Kevin Bricker

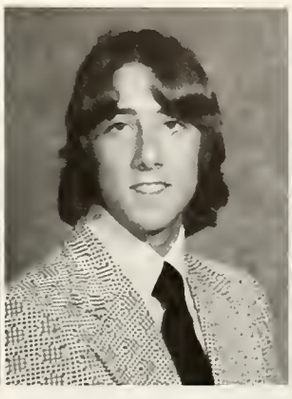
Jean Brickner

Richard Briefman

Judy Brown

Kimberly Brown

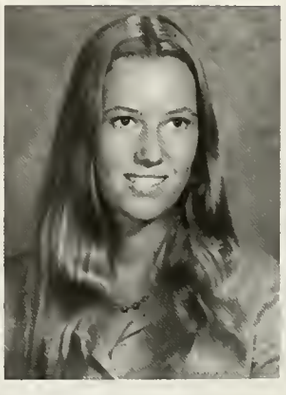
Stephen Brownfield



Robert Bujorian

Bambi Burgy

Brenda Burnham



Cynthia Buzby

Thomas Carroll

Kathi Chapman

Mary Chapman

Missy Hamlin finds interesting reading in the LRC.

Daniel Charlton

Every year there are several juniors who decide to graduate a year early either to enter college or pursue other interests. This year five such people have completed all of their requirements and are graduating with the class of "76". Lori Oestreicher is graduating early because she wants to pursue her theatrical career by joining Up With People. After completing all of her requirements early, Gina Christoff decided that college was ahead of her, and she wanted to get started as soon as possible. Others graduating early are Kim Eckard, Mark Friese, and Cindy Propora.

Jeannine Chokreff

Gina Christoff

Donald Church

Mary Ciriello

Charles Ciston

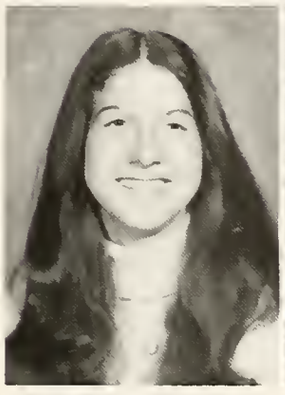
Leslie Clark

Marian Bilkman dreams away the period.

James Claypool

Deborah Collins

Michael Collins



Monica Comunale

Brian Conley

John Conley

Laura Conner

Kathi Chapman grabs center stage from Adell Gemmell and Claudia Black.

Michael Cope

James Cromleigh

Craig Culler

William Cunningham

Frances Curley

Rachelle Cursio

David Dalton

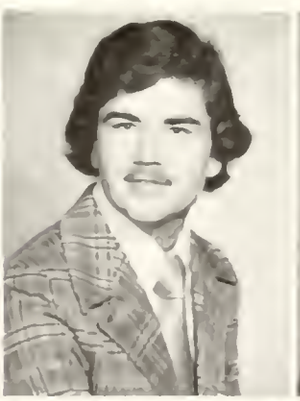
Betsy Davis

Rebecca Davis

Virginia Thiell has had a rough day.

Debbie Harpley blows a greasy bubble

Steven Dembosky



Thomas Dembosky

Kevin Denholm

Neil DeVries

Bridget Dickson

Vincent Didato

A visit from the photographer provides for Dahean Tumbo

David Dies

Christopher Donahue

Kenneth Dorsey

Robert Drexler

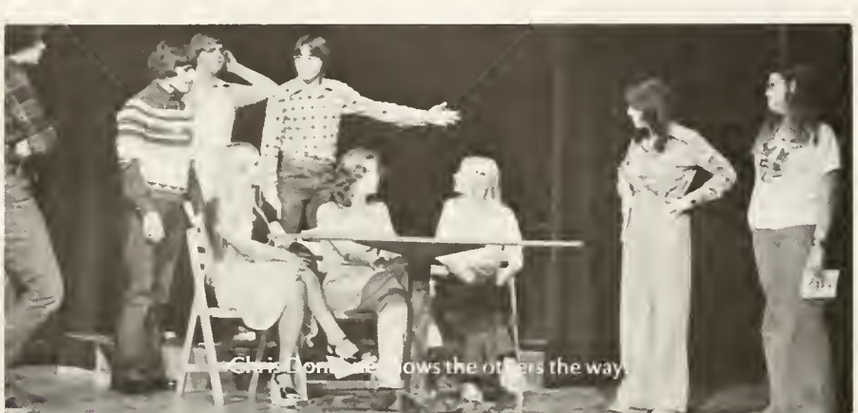
Andrew Duke

At the present Eliot Mostow's photographic work is almost purely for pleasure. His only professional work is to subsidize the other pictures he takes. Having received widespread recognition for his talent, this year he won two blue ribbons and was nominated for a Kodak Medallion Award in the regional division of the National Scholastic Art Contest. His favorite subjects are people, especially the very old and the very young. Although Eliot has not definitely decided to pursue a career in photography, he may consider a career in photojournalism. He says that he will continue to try to capture instants of emotion until he is discovered by National Geographic Magazine.

Kimberly Eckard

Elizabeth Ervin

Fred Etheridge



Chris Donahue follows the others the way.

Adell Gemmel thinks it's all a put on.

The greasy foursome harmonize

Senior Homecoming attendants are driven around the field

Linda Evans

William Fender

Joseph Flohr

Margaret Flohr

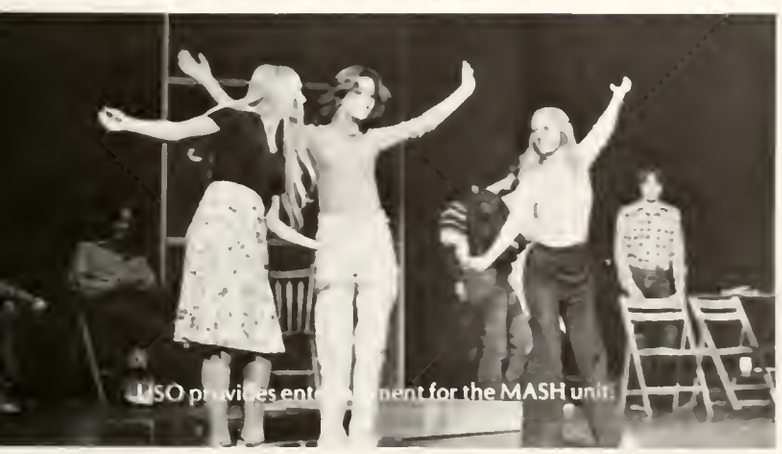
James Focht

Lisa Fogelsanger

Ronald Forwark

Jonathan Freitag

Denise Froud



USO provides entertainment for the MASH unit.

Emmy Thomann gets down to

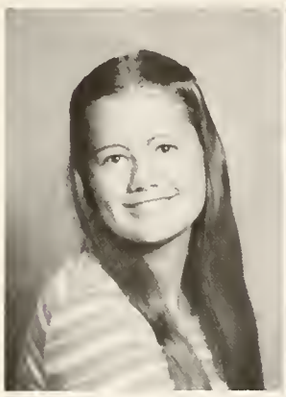
Keith Fulmer

Timothy Furman

Sheri Galat

Kenneth Gapsch

Robin Garner



Vicki Gelin

Adell Gemmell

Marcia Gerke

Bridget Mullin[illegible] for a future as a secretary in JOE.

Meg Andreeff at guess which party

Susan Gertz

Christine Gibson

Pamela Giles

Gary Giller

Karin Glenn

Laura Godard

Karen Greibling has been writing music since the age of four. She has had many of her compositions performed in Ohio and other states. She holds a six year consecutive Superior Certificate for composition in the NFMC Composer's Contest and has won numerous other awards. Karen has also studied the viola since the age of twelve and has performed a great deal of chamber music. She has been invited to join a quartet coached by David Cerone at the Cleveland Institute of Music.

Nancy Goldsmith

Francine Gordon

Kathleen Gowland

David Graves

Michael Gray

Karen Griebling

Michael Guarnieri

Ginny Guillod

Jeffrey Guilmette

Linda Guran

Susan Hamad

Diana Hamlin

Holly Hamlin

Amy Hanse

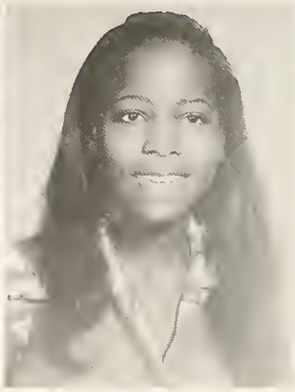
Anthony Harbert

Paul Haridakis

Adele Jami[illegible]n sits this one out.

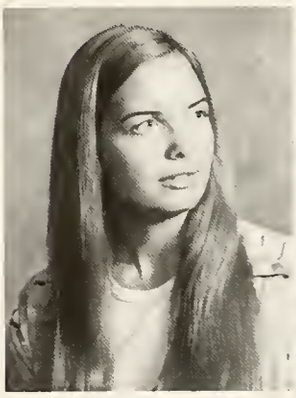
Jeffrey Harig

Sue Harmata



Ingrid Harmon

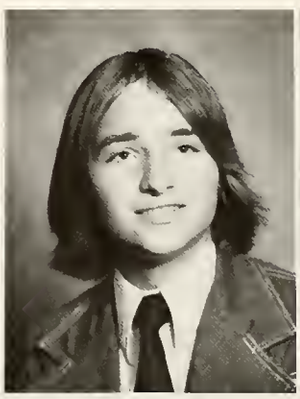
Tom "Toad" Laraway



Debbra Harpley

Robert Harrington

Christopher Harris



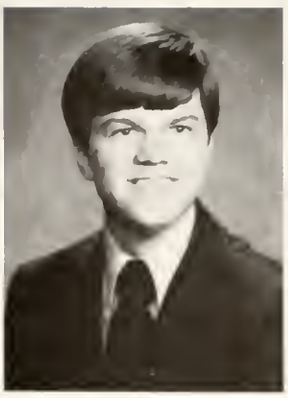
Thomas Hathaway

Jeffrey Hays

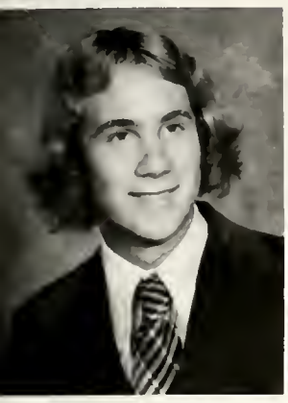
Linda Healey

Donald Hecker

Susan Heckman



David Heffernan



William Heidish

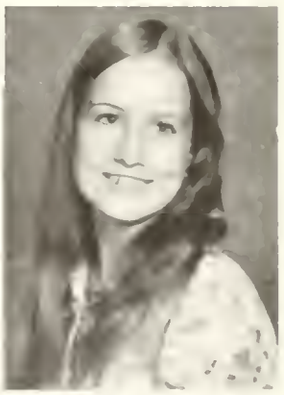
Rebecca Herrlinger

Linda Hiebel

Betsy Davis goes through her daily routine.

Sue Barnett can't believe her eyes.

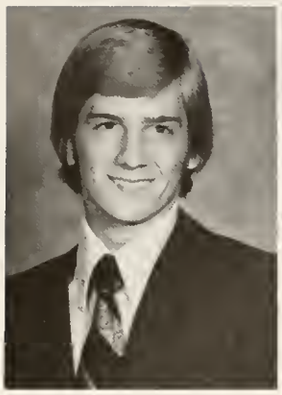
Heidi Hineline



Karen Hirsch

Clint Hofmann

Mark Horrigan



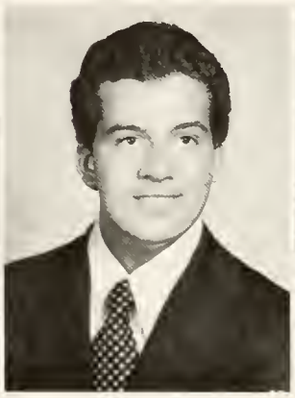
Mark Hrubik

Robert Hurd

Elizabeth Ireland

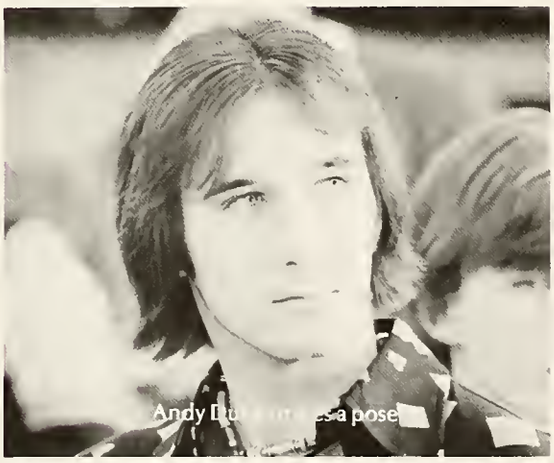
The Coronation

Kenneth Isherwood



Rafik Iskander

Frances Jackman



Andy D[illegible] a pose

Jeffrey Jackson

Robin Jackson

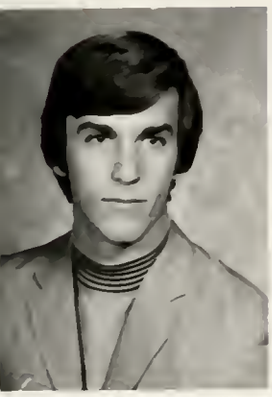
Beckilu James

Adele Jamieson

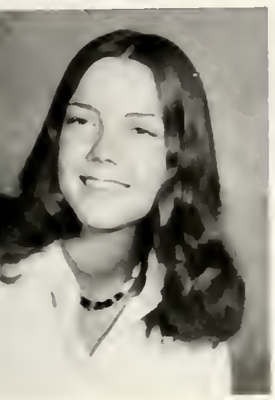
Scott Jemson

Paula Jennings

[illegible]bie Schlossberg enjoys Mr. Hu[illegible]t's jokes.



Charles Jones



Janice Kaipainen

John Conley caught off guard in Student Cent

Tenzie, tenzie, come again zy.

Jean Kaplan

Karen Karr

Susan Kaufman

Ornosky at the fall picn

Valerie Kenney

Jennifer Kerch

Charles Kesselring

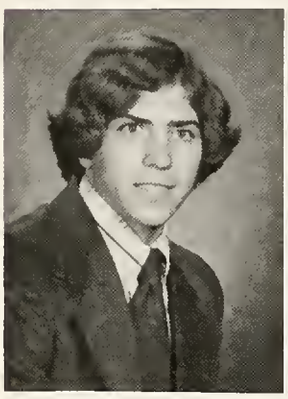
Matt Kesti

Michael Kiehl

Laura King

Debbie Walls gnaws a knuckle.

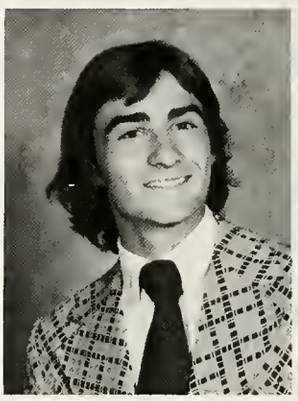
Mark McDonald and [illegible] stare at the [illegible]



Timothy Klein

Lawrence Kline

Lynn Knauer



Daniel Kormushoff

Krissann Kozesky

Kristine Kroll

Deborah Landis

Kim Landsness

Thomas Laraway

Jeffrey Laria

Ma[illegible]ers what all the bananas are for.

Susan Lash

Michael LaVoie

Melanie Lawrence

C. McFadden, L. Allison, T. Lipari in character

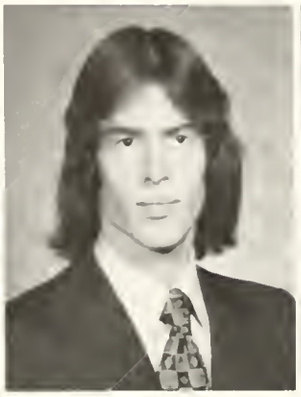
Aren't Mr. Snider's lectures thrilling!

Bethany Lebold

Charles Lee

George Lenox

Andrea Leshman



Jeffrey Leslie

Michael Lestingi

Abraham Levatter

Robert Lewis

Not many students at Firestone have led the exciting life that Michael Cope has. He was born in the Phillipines, and from there moved to India, England, Brazil, and Australia before he arrived in Akron. He believes that by traveling he has been exposed to different cultures and has become more aware of what is happening in other parts of the world.

By living in all of these different countries, Mike has learned to speak three languages fluently. Although Mike likes living in Akron, he liked Australia the best and would like to return.

Sylvia Levin

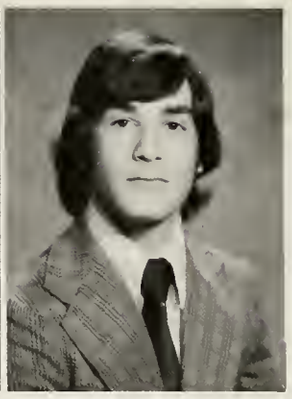
Patricia Licause

Kathryn Liley

Keith Linden

Lauren Linehan

Timothy Lipari



Alan Litt

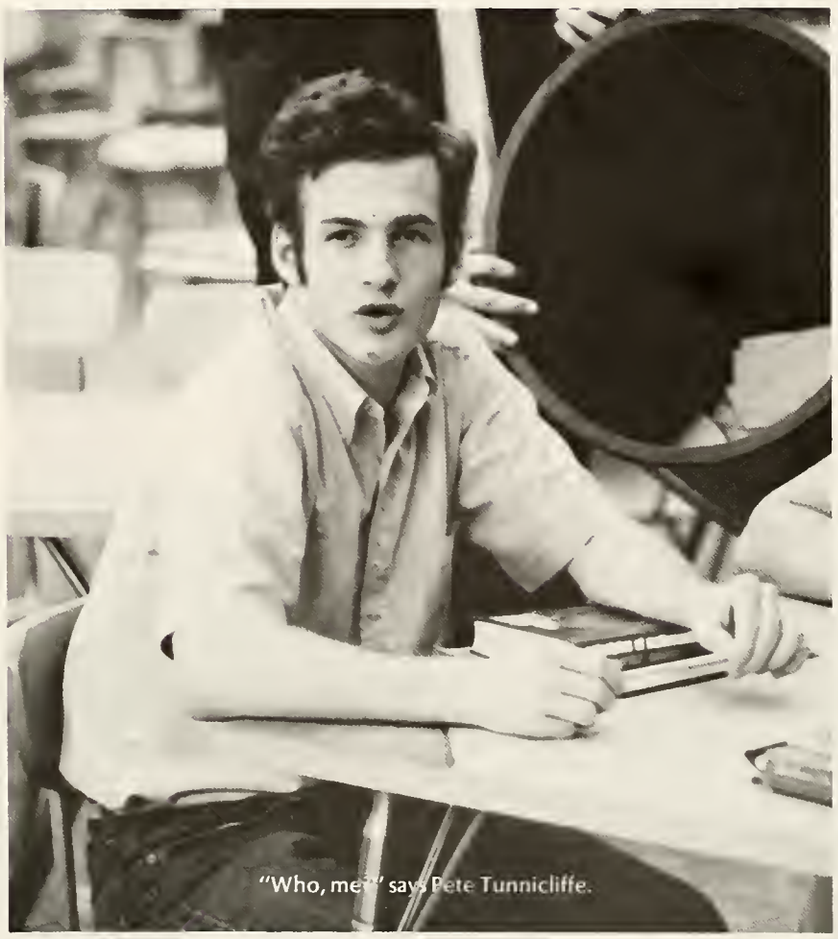
Lizabeth Logan

Hope Lowy

Lewis Ludwig

Jennifer Lund

Anne Lynch

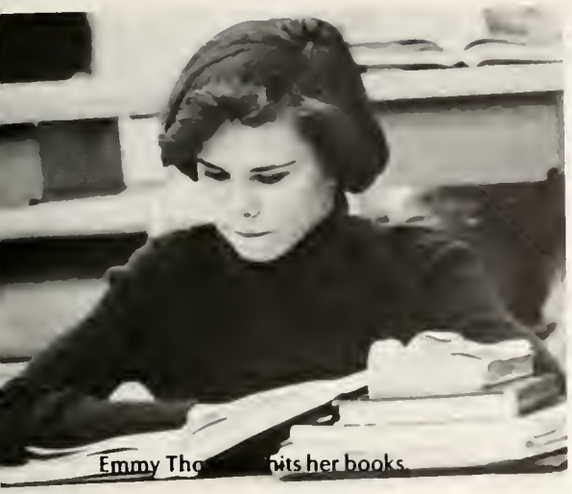


"Who, me?" says Pete Tunnicliffe.

George Magoun

Marjorie Mann

"No way," she.



Emmy Tho[illegible]fits her books.

Is this any way for a queen to act?

Cindy Matthews

Steven McAbee

Laurie McCauley

David McCulley

Mark McDonald

Christopher McFadden

James McGrath

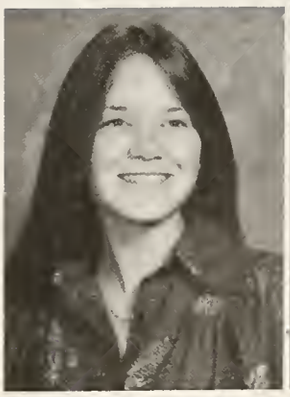
Margaret McKinstry

Shaun McWilliams

Kimberly Mears

Lucie Menassa

Michael Menyes



Virginia Merkle

Randy Mermelstein

Ralph Meyer

Elizabeth Miller

Patricia Miller

Marianne Martis meets the camera eye to eye.

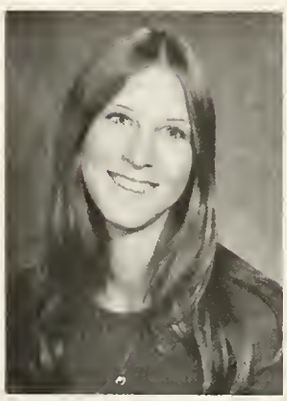
Laura Mills

Monica Mitchell

Cindy Yehnert, future homemaker

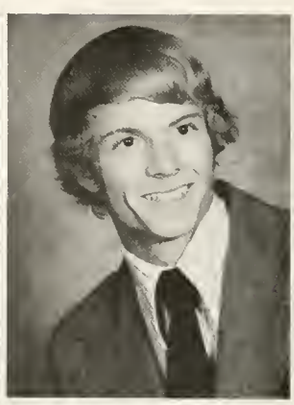
Mark Mitten

Pamela Modzeleski



Cynthia Moncrief

James Morgan



Jeffrey Morgan

Brian Starkey develops hand-eye co-ordination.

Seniors stick together for support.

Lucie Menassa in the spirit of Halloween

Cynthia Morton

Mary Moskos

Eliot Mostow

Kevin Movsesian

Mark Ober[illegible]ing it

Jeffrey Mraz

Bridgett Mullin

Catherine Murphy

Jeffrey Murphy

Mary Murphy

Alan Murrow

Robert Murtha

Douglas New

Patrick Nicolino

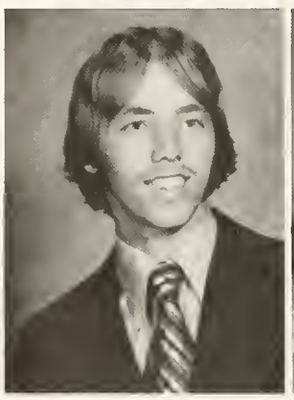
Herbert Noesner

Mike Lestingi calculates and cogitates

Karin Noesner

Robert Nold

Phillip Norton



Greg Norval

Susan Nurches

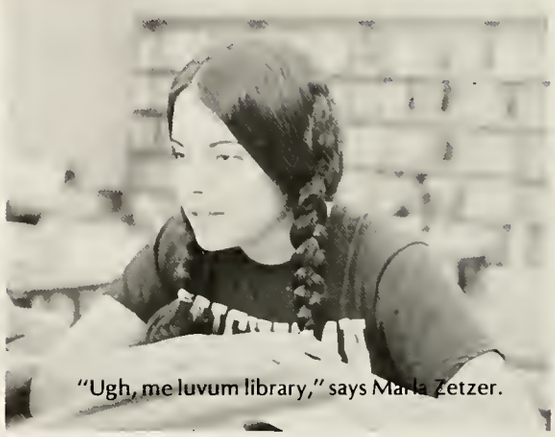
Richard Nuzum

Mark Ober

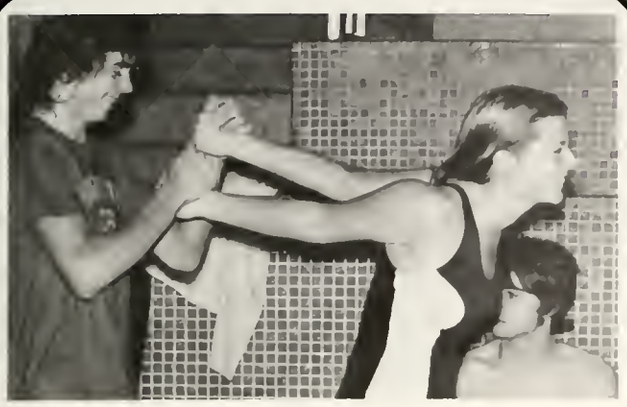
Lauren Oestreicher

Shannon O'Hara

Susan Ornosky



"Ugh, me luvum library," says Maria Zetzer.



The Yehnerts became Firestone's first diving family this year with both Cindy and Curt on the boys' varsity swim team. Though it was Curt who was the most successful this year, representing Firestone at the state meet after finishing third in district, it was Cindy who got him started and spend many hours helping and encouraging him.

"Dead cats smell revolting," says Chris McFadden

Diane Oster

Michele Ott

Christine Owen

Patricia Owen

Lisa Pangle

Jayne Pedler

Mark Penner

Ronald Peterson

Julie Phillips

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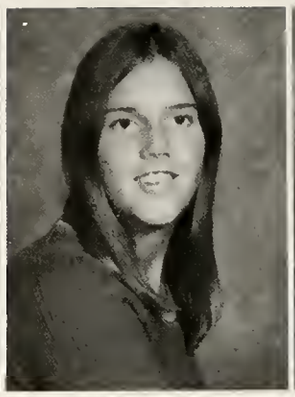
Roger Preston



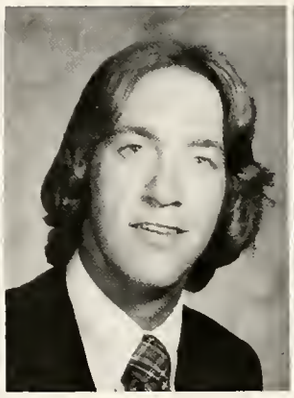
Danean Putman

Edward Raffel

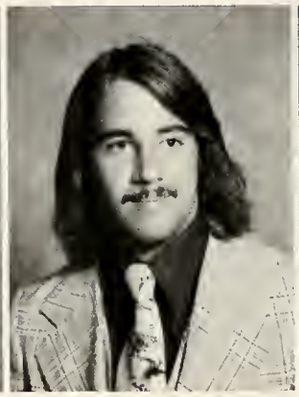
John Ramsey

Susan Rauckhorst

Mary Rauh



James Redmond



Gary Reese

Carol Reiheld

Christine Repasky

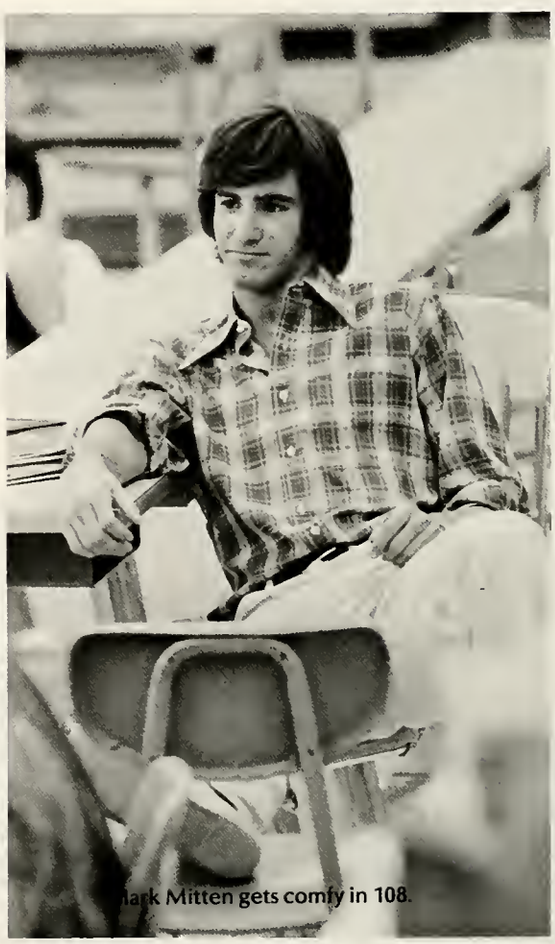
Cheryl Reynolds

William Reynolds

Carol Rhoads

Irene Rice

Thomas Richardson



ark Mitten gets comfy in 108.

This picture of Steve Brownfield and Mark Ballard is misleading. Actually, Mark and Steve have spent many hours each week helping the mentally retarded children of the Akron area. Both started out working at a day camp run and staffed by the West Akron Y.O.U.T.H., which stands for Youth Organized and United To Help. Steve has been involved in the group for three years, and Mark is presently the president. They meet weekly at St. Paul's Episcopal Church to work with the children and take them to movies and other activities. All of their work is on a voluntary basis. Their goal is to try to enable the retarded to live a happy and useful life.

Renee Rickards

Diane Richmond

Daniel Riew

Michael Rinaldo

Pamela Rippey

Nicola Roberts

Gordon Roesner

Susan Rogers

Sharon Roman

Lauren Rose

Jerold Rosen

Brian Rosenthal

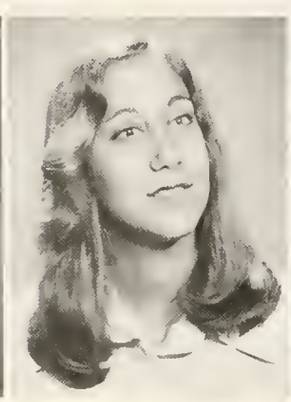
Andrew Roth

Andrea Rothkin

Kathleen Rusnak

[illegible] Murph[illegible] Dave [illegible] their [illegible] are time diligently.

Debra Salzman



Susan Salzman

Dennis Saul

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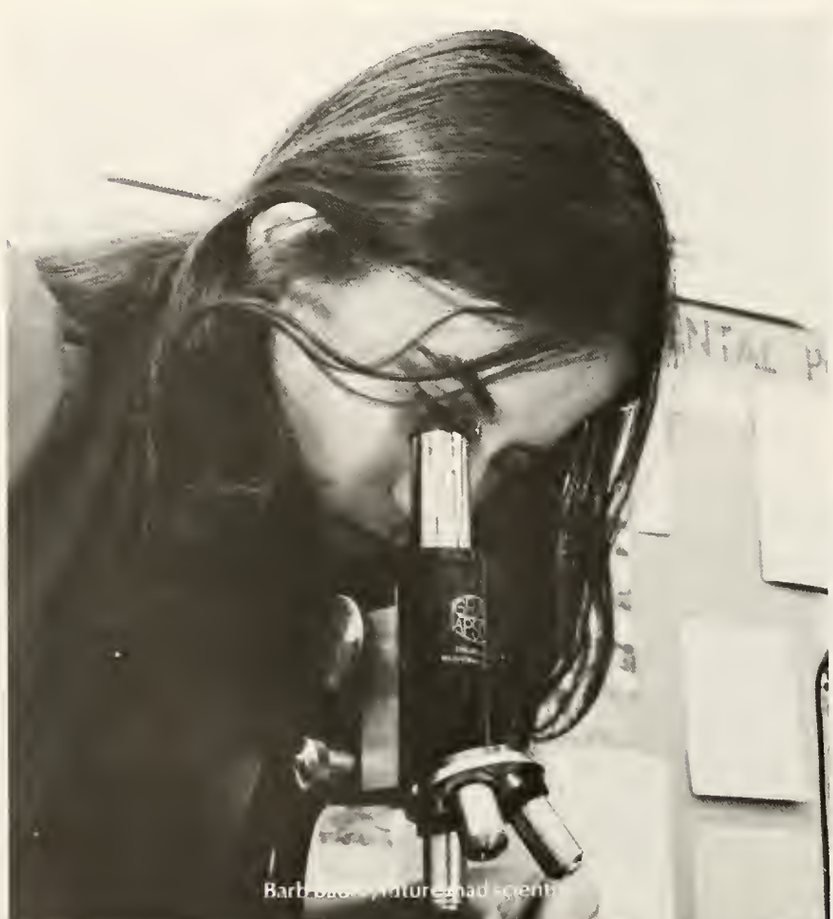


Barb [illegible] future mad scienti[illegible]

Joseph Sarlouis

Debra Schlossberg

Karen Schneiderman

Marcus Schnetz

Thomas Seese

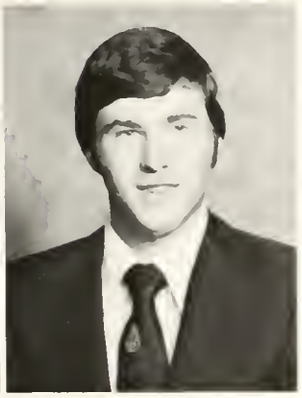
Mary Segatta

Timothy Sellars

Karen Senser

John Shaver

Sally Shaw



Jon Shomo

Cindy Matthews proves a stitch in time saves nine.

Senorita Batug eche una siesta.

Chris Harris contends with Chris McFadden.

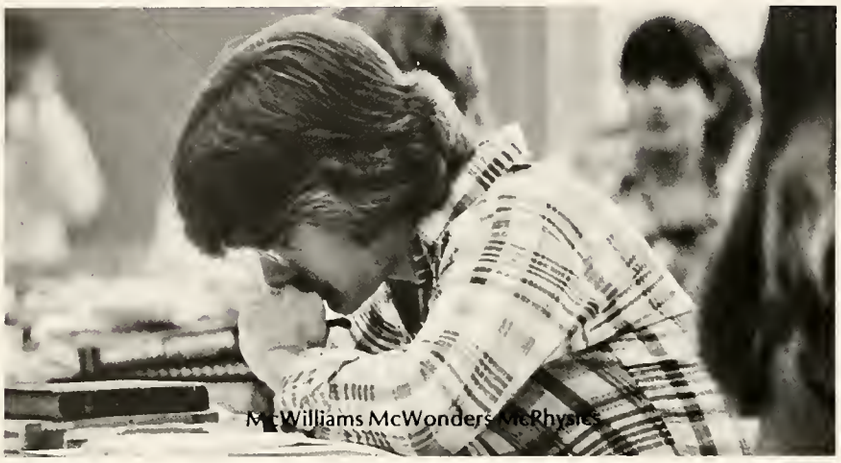
Laura Shuster

Laura Sigel

Shirley Skeans

Elizabeth Skidmore

Hollie Slaughter

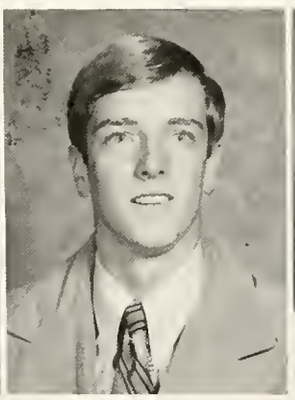


McWilliams McWonders McPhysics

Carol Slovski

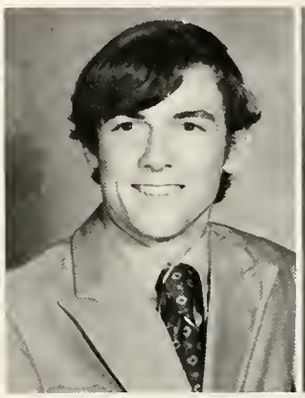
Kathleen Smith

Leslie Smith



Scott Smith

Theon Smith



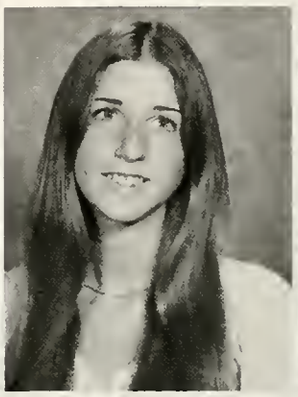
Paul Snow

Scott Sobat

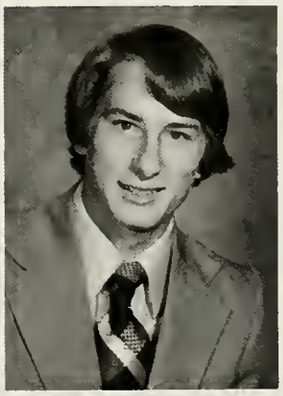
Lawrence Sobel

Judy Solitt

Ellen Spetrino



Mary Staiger



Thomas Stakleff

Drama has always been a main interest for Lauren Linehan. She has been active in all types of dramatic productions here at Firestone and in community theaters. Lauren has been in three productions at the Weathervane, one at the Jewish Center, and one at school. She is also interested in pantomine and plans to do a number of mime shows with her teacher Bob Welker who has studied under Etienne Decroux, Marcel Marceau's teacher.

The future may find more than stage acting for Lauren who has applied to the Ringling Brother's and Barnum and Bailey Clown College and hopes to become a clown and tour with the circus for a few years.

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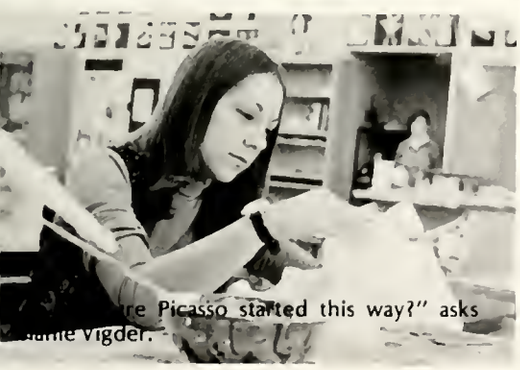


re Picasso started this way?" asks
Vigder.

Brian Starkey

Jeffrey Stearns

Michael Stell

Barbara Stewart

Thomas Stiller

Timothy Strickler

Gary Taylor

Virginia Thiell

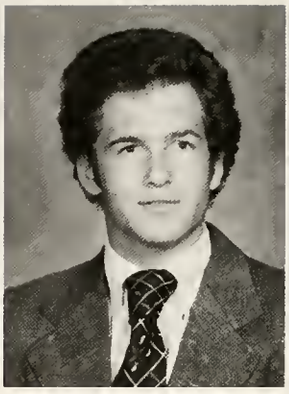
Emmy Thomann

Patricia Thomen

Thomas Thrower

Kevin Tucker

Debra Tuhela

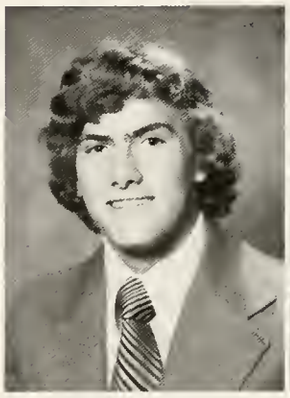


Peter Tunnicliffe

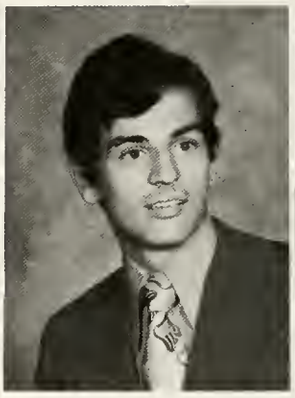
Karen Underwood

Kenneth Underwood

Brenda Burnham and Dan Riew prepare for the coronation.



David Van Auker



Spiros Vasilatos

David Vasilev

Thomas Vetter

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Kristen Wagner

Marcia Wallace

David Walker

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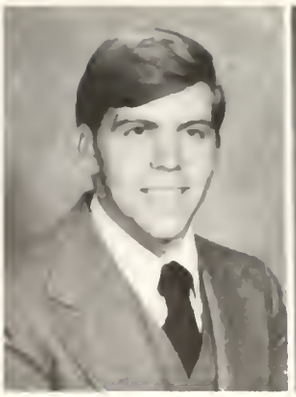
James Walter

Mary Wathen

Jill Watson



John White

Sarah White

It has always been Sue Winland's ambition to sing and act professionally on stage, and she has already started to work towards that goal. Sue has acted in four plays at the Goodyear Theater, her biggest part being that of Chava in "Fiddler on the Roof." She has also been in two musicals at school. Sue also plays the piano, flute, and French horn. She has taken ballet lessons for 13 years and has been active in the Dance Institute at Akron U. for 5 years. Sue intends to continue singing and acting throughout college and the rest of her life.

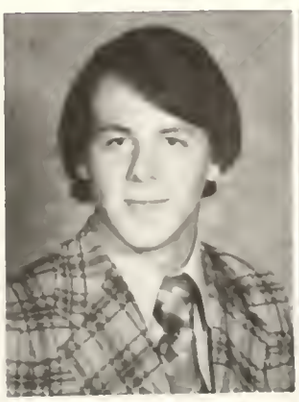
Susan Whorley

David Wilcox

Kenneth Williams

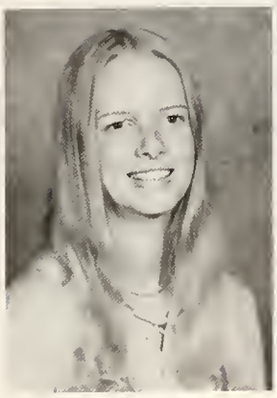
Stacie Williams

Peggy McKinstry and Carol Rhoads cram for the exam.



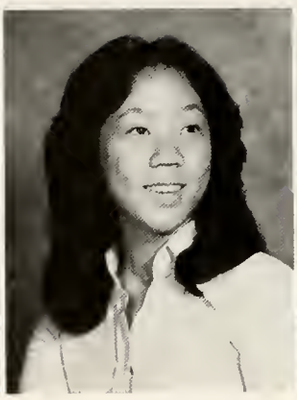
Bruce Williamson

Lynn Wilson



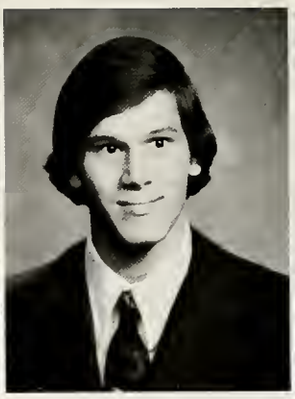
Suzanne Winland

John Wiseman



Barbara Wong

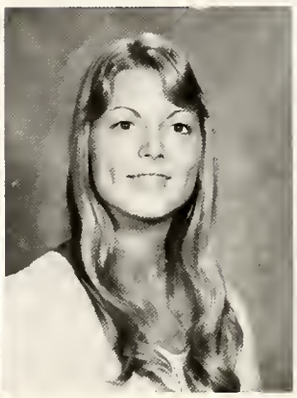
Terrie Worstall



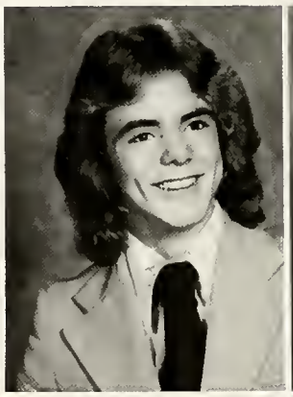
Robert Wroblewski

Jane Wykoff

Scott Yates



Cindy Yehnert

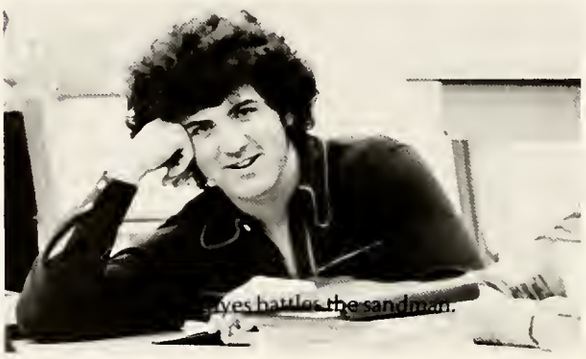


Curtis Yehnert

Emilee York

Marla Zetzer

Robert Zupke



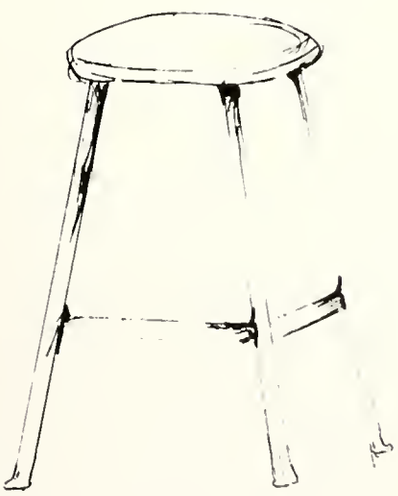
yes battles the sandman.

Get a load of Mr. Whitney's new paper weight, Dave VanAuker.

Margaret Flo in her usual pose, smiling

Seniors not pictured

Matthew Adams
David Ashley
Joseph Booker
Bonnie Brandstetter
Bruce Fee
Deirdre Froud
Mark Herdina
Margaret Hunt
Mark Kaiser
Kevin Laman
Gregory Long
Trace Lukowicz
David Moorehouse
John Norval
Lawrence Poppenhouse
Marianne Sardas
Jose Trasancos
Sally Voth
Stephanie Winer
John Wright



Congratulations Seniors

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Pictures are the story of your life. As you progress in the World, come back to Carmen for pictures. Keep a record of your family and of special events. Send your picture with job applications and remember Carmen for business pictures. Good Luck and Happiness to all.

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Picnic in the park

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The senior class started the year with a picnic and square dance at Happy Days Park. The September 12 festivities were headed by Chairman Tony Harbert. Firestone faculty members took part in the fun.

1. Shaun McWilliams 2. Mark Mitten and Debbie Landis 3. Don Church 4. Karla Albright climbs to the top 5. Curt Yehnert tosses the football.

Seniors suffer bumps and bruises

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The Roller Skating Party was held on October 19 at the Akron Rollercade. Noula Poleondakis was in charge of the event.

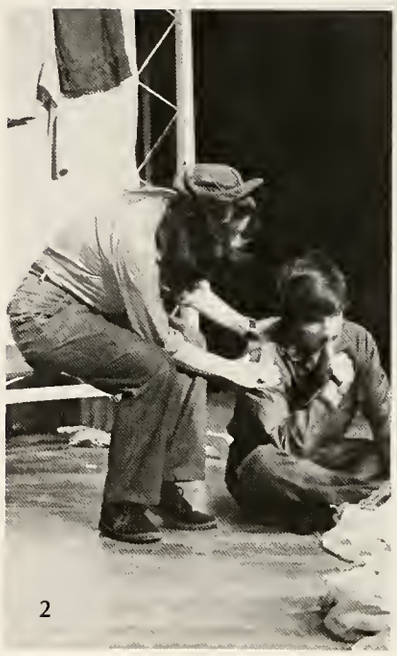
1. Bill Fender leads the pack. 2. Dave Van Auker 3. Marla Zetzer, Melanie Vigder, and Andrea Leshman 4. Seniors skate to the music. 5. Melanie Vigder and Jeff Jackson 6. Lydia Voth and Ron Peterson 7. Meg Andreeff lends a helping hand.

Senior "spirits" come alive

The Halloween Party took place November 1 at Lydia Voth's farm. The band Justus played.

1. Sally Voth 2. Diane Oster and Sheri Galat 3. Heidi Hineline 4. Carol Rhoads and Sylvia Awadalla 5. Seniors look over the refreshments.

Welcome to MASH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Gen. Hammond	M. Mitten	Cpt. John McIntyre	B. Zupke	Maj. Margaret Houlihan	L. Allison
Pvt. Boone	C. Harris	Cpt. John Black	B. Beals	Congresswoman Goldfarb	B. Bader
Lt. Col. Blake	T. Lipari	Cpl. "Radar" Riley	C. Donahue	Dean Mercy Lodge	K. Griebling
Cpt. Bridget McCarthy	L. Godard	Cpt. Benjamin Pierce	J. Harig	Miss Randazzle	B. Burnham
Lt. Janice Fury	L. Linehan	Cpt. Augustus Forrest	D. New	Mitzi	S. Winland
Sgt. Divine	J. Ramsey	Ho-Jon	D. Riew	Fritzi	L. Miller
Lt. Louise Kimble	K. Liley	Pvt. Lopez	P. Nicolino	Agnes	C. Batug
Cpt. Frank Burns	C. McFadden	Korean Woman #1	M. Ciriello	Lt. Connie Liebowitz	G. Christoff
Father Mulcahy	R. Preston	Korean Woman #2	K. Bird	Cpt. Oliver Jones	P. Allread
Cpt. Walt Waldowski	T. Hathaway	Lt. Nancy Phillips	B. Ireland	Maj. Ruth Haskell	D. Oster

1. Tim Lipari gives an order. 2. Beth Ireland consoles Chris McFadden. 3. Dan Riew sorts the laundry. 4. Mark Mitten barks out an order. 5. The group plays poker.

The senior class presented the popular movie and television show MASH for their play this year. Mrs. Carolyn Tener was in charge of the play which was presented on November 21 and 22. Hours of hard work were supervised by student director Adele Jamieson and stage manager Tom Seese. The play centered around the antics of a US mobile army surgical hospital stationed in Korea.

1. Lauren Linehan stares romantically into Bob Beals' eyes. 2. Chris McFadden and Roger Preston take a coffee break in the mess hall. 3. Lisa Allison in her role as Hotlips Houlihan. 4. John Ramsey takes charge of the food orders. 5. Doug New enters the MASH 4077.

Seniors slip and slide

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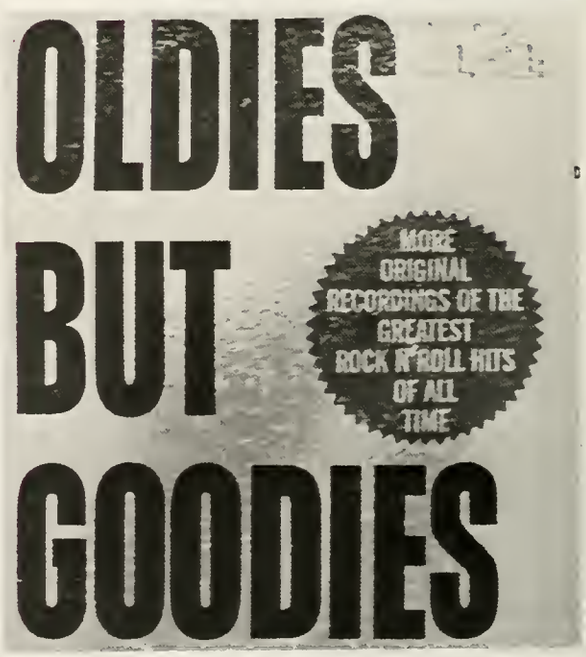
1. Bob Zupke heads the train. 2. Leslie Smith and Mary Chapman 3. Shirley Skeans and Mike Lavoie 4. Laurie Rose and Mike Cope 5. Stu Lenox 6. Brian Rosenthal

The seniors spent the school holiday at the Hudson Ice Barn, forming trains and playing crack the whip.

1. Tom Vetter tries to steady Stacie Williams. 2. Tom Vetter falls! 3. Tom Richardson 4.Gred Norval, Bill Cunningham, and Brian Rosenthal crush Bob Zupke. 5. Bob Beales and Linda Evans

Falcons wear ducktails



1. Chris Harris and Steve Schobert on stage 2. Meg Flickenger and Cathy Wagner 3. The senior Barbershop Quartet 4. Brenda Burnham, Kim Brown, Kim Bly, Richelle Conner, and Kris Kozesky sing for the greasers.

The senior-sponsored Greaser Dance was held on March 12. Music was played throughout the halls as students changed classes. Greaser King and Queen candidates collected money from students during the day. The money benefitted the American Cancer Society.

1. Brett Sutter 2. Mark Mitten leads the Banana Peels. 3. Bart Tunnecliffe 4. Mary Ciriello and Mike Lestingi 5. Karen Kuzmishin and Gary Pate 6. At the hop!

"Spirit of 76" Senior Banquet

The Senior Banquet was held in the Hilltop Room at Akron University on May 27. Laura Mills was in charge of the buffet dinner. The theme of "The Spirit of 76" was presented in Mr. Blake's humorous speech. The Barbershop Quartet received an ovation for their performance.

1. Betsy Davis and Gina Christoff 2. Senior Barbershop Quartet 3. Debbie Landis and Judy Solitt

1. Mr. Blake delivers his speech. 2. Gary Giller passes the plate. 3. Becky Herrlinger and Andy Duke display their "Biggest Flirt" talent. 4. Kathy Gowland and Bruce Williamson receive their "Best Bod" awards. 5. Marian Billman samples supper. 6. Mr. Vandever relishes his dinner.

Seniors paddle down the Mohican River

The Canoe Outing was held on May 22 on the Mohican River.

1. Tom Laraway, Ken Williams, Andy Roth, and Mark Mitten look for their next victims. 2. Meg Andreeff 3. Renee Rickards and Jeff Mraz 4. Barb Wong and Linda Guran

Manhood

Daniel Riew

The Manhood and Womanhood Award recipients were Daniel Riew and Brenda Burnham. The honor was voted upon by the senior class. Dan Riew was president of the senior class and was the 1976 May King. He was also a member of National Honor Society and was in the cast of MASH. Brenda Burnham was secretary of the senior class, a member of Focus, Madrigals, VOLPLANE, and participated in numerous other activities.

Womanhood

Brenda Burnham

Senior Award Winners

National Merit Finalists

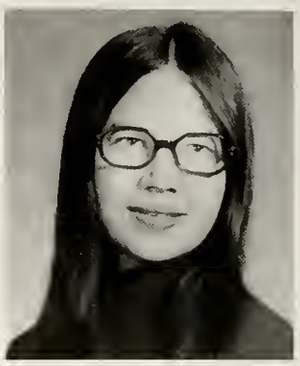
Karla Brasaemle

Susan Gertz

Phillip Norton

Jon Shomo

James Walter



American Legion Awards

Karla Brasaemle—Science

Karen Griebling—Music

Jeff Harig—Community Service

Brian Rosenthal—Science

Leslie Smith—Athletics

Valedictorians

Karla Brasaemle

Margaret McKinstry

Phillip Norton

Roger Preston

Thomas Vetter

The Akron Rotary Award, which is based on academics, leadership, character, and activities, was awarded to Leslie Smith. Dan Riew and Brenda Burnham received the Chrysler Award. This award is based on character, participation, and reliability.

More senior awards

1. The Dr. Mable Riedinger Award, which was given for outstanding athletic and academic achievement, was presented to Leslie Smith, Brian Rosenthal was the recipient of the William Tenney Award, which was given to the outstanding male athlete with the highest grade point average. 2. Pat Miller was named a National Achievement Scholar. 3. Spiros Vasilatos and Meg Andreeff were the winners of the Akron Optimist Awards. 4. The Akron Kiwanis Awards were presented to Linda Guran and Roger Preston. 5. Sue Winland was awarded the Vocal Music Award. Karla Brasaemle was honored with the Instrumental Music Award.

Assembly honors outstanding seniors

The Senior Honors Assembly was held in the school auditorium on May 28. Larry Sobel and Linda Hiebel were the masters of ceremonies.

1. Seniors receive Special Service Awards 2. Brian Rosenthal and Mr. William Tenney 3. Mr. Lentine presents Sue Winland her trophy 4. Fran Gordon and Miss Lerch

Happy days are here again

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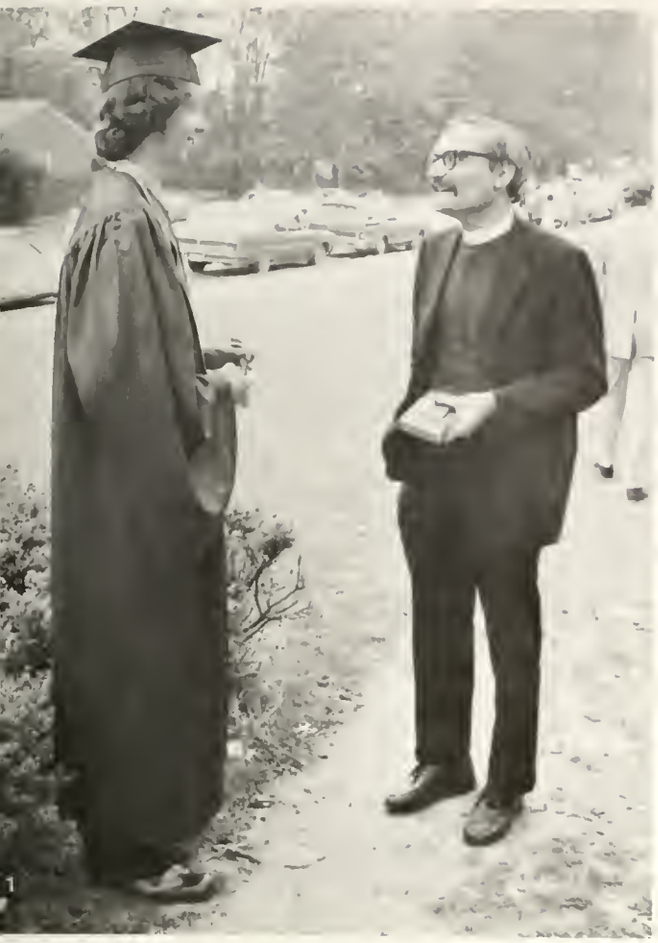
The Senior Picnic was held at Happy Days Park on June 4. The picnic marked the end of exams, and the time was spent playing football, throwing frisbees, and having sack races.

1. Charles Lee runs for a touchdown. 2. Judy Brown 3. Girls take time out to rest. 4. Tom Stakleff throws a long bomb.

1. Seniors ham it up. 2. Mike Lestingi and Claudia Batug 3. Theon Smith shows how it's done 4. Liz Ervin waits for a serve. 5. Gary Reese and Bob Murtha 6. Mr. Nutter

Seniors graduate with grandeur

1. Laura King and Joe Sarlouis 2. Janice Kaipainen leads her row to the platform. 3. Mr. Friedman congratulates another graduate. 4. Dan Riew



June 10, 1976, marked the Commencement Exercises for the senior class. The invocation and benediction were offered by the Reverend Robert New. Miss Nancy Mettler addressed the class with her speech "Apprehensions and Anticipations."

1. Phil Norton chats with Rev. Coleman. 2. Mr. Blake calls out another name. 3. Miss Mettler 4. Mr. Schlemmer solves the problem.

"We've only just begun"

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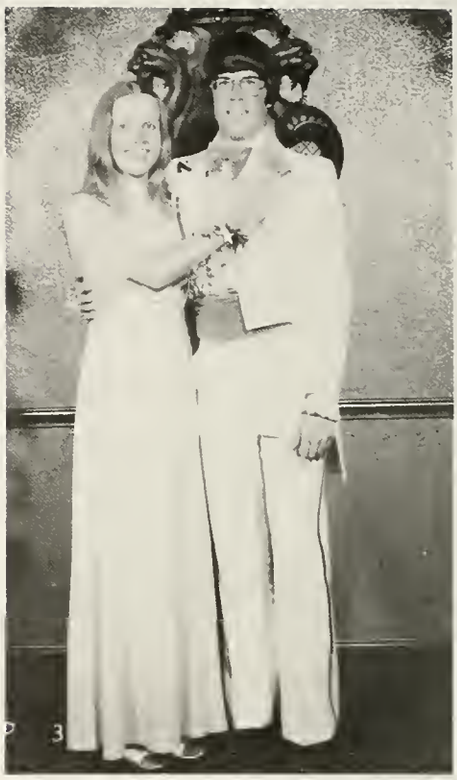
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Cascade Holiday Inn was the site of the Senior Prom where the couples danced to the music of Speak Easy. The dance, planned by Robin Jackson, lasted from 9 until 12.

1. Tom Richardson and Vicki Gelin 2. Debbie Walls and Pat Adamson 3. Peggy McKinstry and Lewie Ludwig 4. Scott Smith and Debbie Tuhela 5. Laurie McCauley and Steve McAbee 6. Jeff Mraz and Renee Rickards

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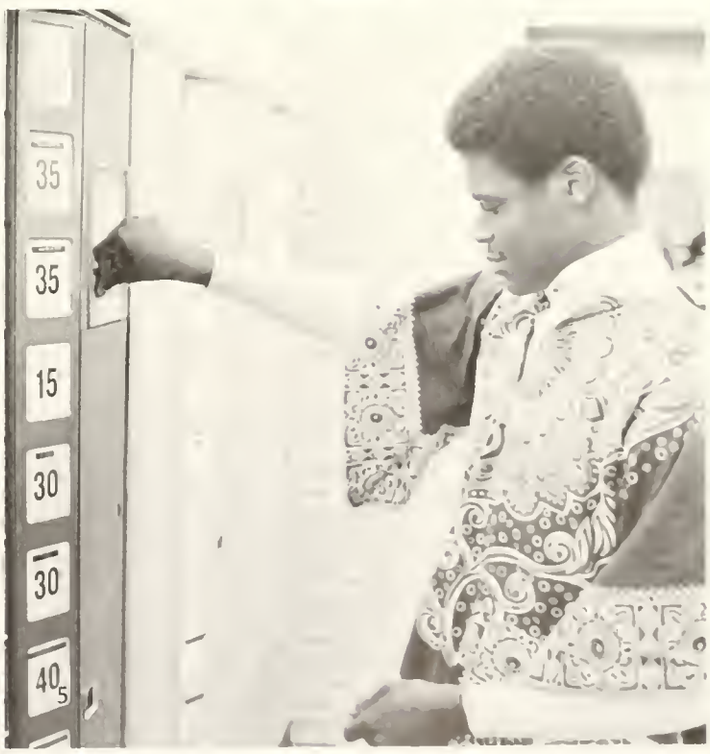
Seniors come alive



1. John Wiseman knows the meaning of pain. 2. Laura King, "the Twirl Girl" 3. M-I-C-K-E-Y G-L-E-N-N 4. Liz Logan puts the crowning touch on Debbie Landis. 5. Theon Smith makes a vice-presidential decision.

Varieties of senior spirit

1. Eliot's Evil Eyes! 2. Spiffy Doug New announces at the Greaser Dance. 3. Claudia Black chats during Student Center. 4. Kevin Tucker prepares to pucker with a peppermint. 5. Tom Laraway occupies a Road Rally rumble seat. 6. Bill Fender seeks a receiver.

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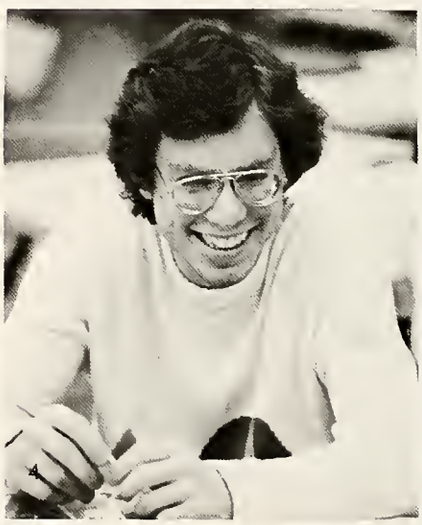

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1. Hold that line! Block that pass! Knock that quarterback on his—OOPS! 2. Seniors shout it out at a pep assembly. 3. No wonder there's never any in the restrooms. 4. Seniors agree that Firestone's cafeteria was never like this. 5. Andy Duke—Shoot two! 6. Leslie Smith looks for a booth at Firestone's Malt Shop.

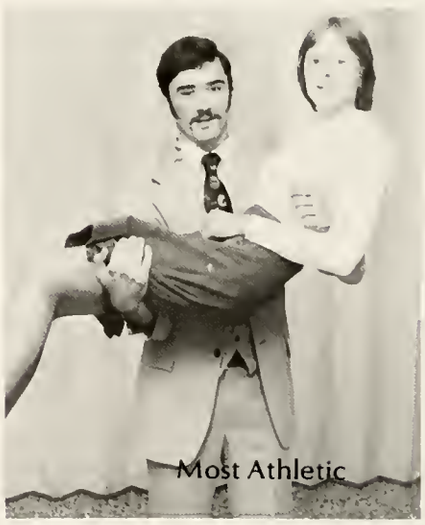
Senior Superlatives

Most Likely to Succeed

Most Versatile

Class Clown

Best Liked


Most Athletic

Spirit of '76

Best Couple

Most Masculine and Feminine

Prettiest Hair

Biggest Gossip

Prettiest Eyes

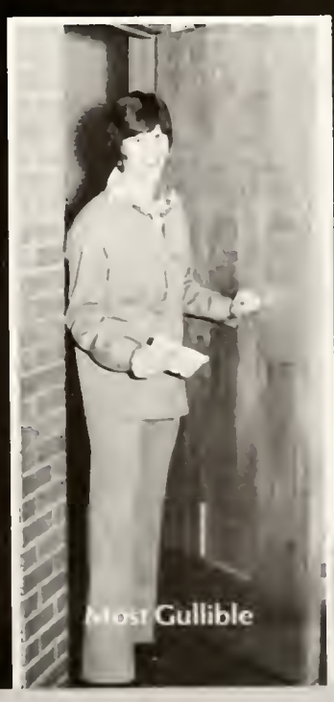
Most Respected

Most Studious

Best Smile

Best Dressed

Most Gullible



Most Gullible

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Dan Riew — Brenda Burnham

MOST GULLIBLE

Bob Lewis — Meg Andreeff

MOST VERSATILE

Phil Norton — Leslie Smith

BEST LIKED

Doug New — Robin Jackson

NICEST SMILE

Pete Allread — Debbie Landis

PRETTIEST HAIR

Doug New — Claudia Batug

PRETTIEST EYES

Bill Fender — Noula Poleondakis

BEST BOD

Bruce Williamson — Kathy Gowland

BEST COUPLE

Pete Allread — Laura Mills

BIGGEST FLIRT

Andy Duke — Becky Herrlinger

MOST RESPECTED

Dan Riew — Lucy Menassa

MOST MASCULINE-FEMININE

Bruce Williamson — Liz Logan

MOST ATHLETIC

Joe Flohr — Sue Rogers

CLASS CLOWN

Tom Laraway — Robin Jackson

BEST DRESSED

Shaun McWilliams — Liz Logan

MOST STUDIOUS

Roger Preston — Karla Brasaemle

BIGGEST GOSSIP

Mark Mitten — Miss Hamlin

SPIRIT OF '76

Ron Forwark — Linda Guran

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JUNIORS . . .

James Aaron

Nicholas Adams

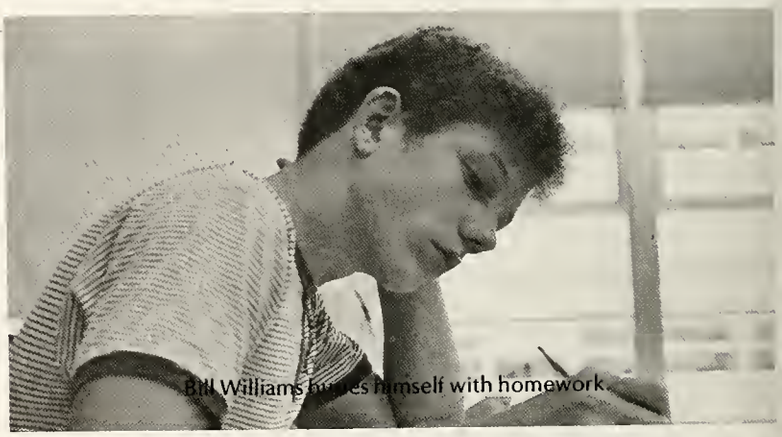
Kathleen Adamson

Bob Xanthos daydreams in Spanish.

Kimberly Adkins
James Alkire
Peter Allcorn
Deedra Allen
Leslie Allen
Karen Anderson

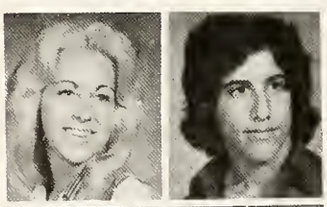
Michelle Anderson

Perry Apelbaum

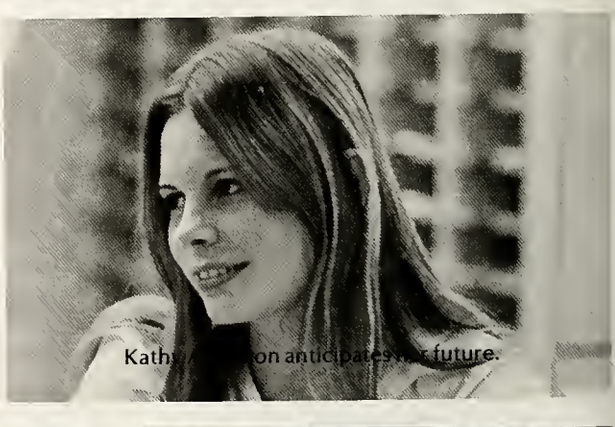


Bill Williams [illegible] himself with homework.

Debbie Artymovich
David Auerbach



Stephen Averell
David Ayoup



Kathy [illegible]on anticipates her future.

Jeffrey Balough
William Barracato
David Bartoo
Marc Bass
Lori Bear
Leslie Belfance

Frank Robinson exhibits his powerful physique.

Mitchell Bellowe
Ginger Bennett

Daniel Beringer
Linda Bernath

Susan Bertoglio
Diane Berus

David Berzon
Matthew Bezbatchenko

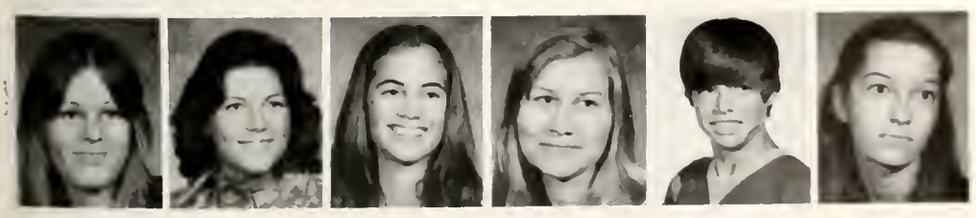
Beth Gillman tries to stay awake.

Michael Blumenfeld

Susan Bly

William Boesche

Robert Bollinger
Valerie Botz
Cynthia Boyer
James Branden
Patricia Brickner
Joyce Briefman

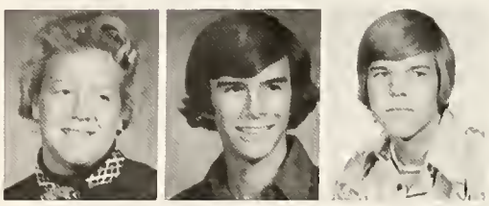


Laurel Burkhardt
Debra Burnham
Michele Bymakos
Mary Campbell
Timothy Campbell
Martha Cardina

Carolyn Carlos
Valerie Center
David Chen

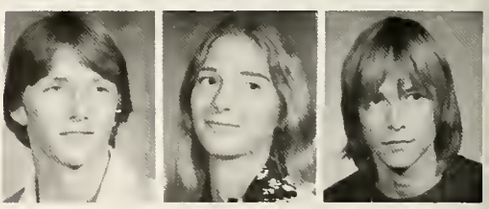
John Childers
Craig Chima
Trent Chima

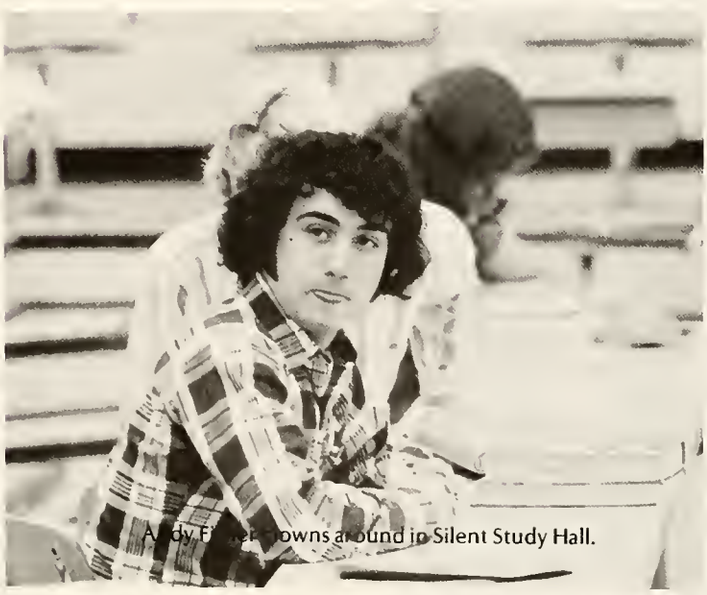
Emily Colley
Scott Collins
Keith Combs



David Smith searches the shelves for a book.

Sheri Combs
Janne Conger
Julie Conley
Clifford Cook
Collette Corvington
Jeffrey Cox

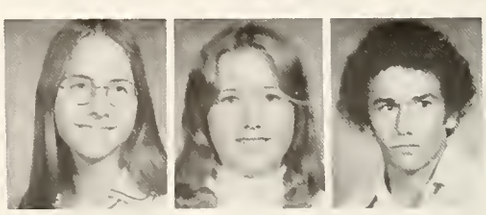




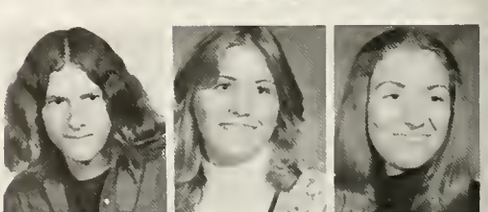
Andy Fisher frowns around in Silent Study Hall.

Sue Bertoglio and Tom D'Avello increase [illegible]

Kathleen Crano
Kimberly Crawford
Keith Dambrot
Robert Darkow
Tom D'Avello
Elizabeth Davies



James Davis
Susan Davis
Debra Day
Shawn Deering
Diane Dettling
Abigail Dickson



Shari [illegible] Lori Schultz, and [illegible] Eyler take notes.

Kent Dobbins
Margaret Donohue
Isabel Dorfner

Beth Dorner
Jean Drexler
Michael Duvall

Andrea Duve
Elena Economou
Martin Eichner

Judith Ekus
John Ellis
Jennifer Ewart

Marian Eyler
Michelle Fair
Michael Falb
Eileen Fassnacht
Kathleen Fawcett
Steven Federman

Linda Ferber
Daniel Finelli
Gregory Fiocca
David Fish
Andy Fisher
Allison Fleming

It's lunch time for Scott Collins, Ed Kad[illegible]ilton Prosperi and Steve Gould.

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Giselle Fleming
Meganne Flickinger
Lori Flignor
Mary Flohr
Dru Foreman
David Francy

Deborah Frank
Brent Friedman
Mark Friess
Bruce Garner
Jennifer Gates
Neal Gibitz

Bee Duke, Bob Clark and Terry Laman get together in Study Hall.

Sandy Gibson knows the answer.

Sandra Gibson
Jeffrey Gilliam
Elizabeth Gillman

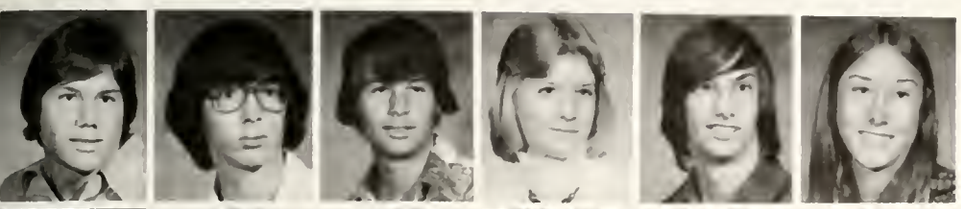
Robert Gingras
Jeffrey Glassner
Sharon Glueck

Michelle Godfrey
Mary Gomberg
Steven Gould

Russell Gowland
James Grimsley
Shari Guilmette

Dave Merrow satisfies his sweet tooth.

Barbara Guran
Julia Guran
David Haberman
Shannon Hamed
Stacy Hansford
Diana Harbert



Gary Harkey
David Harrell
Daniel Harrier
Susan Hatch
George Havale
Margaret Hawkins

Shari Hecker
Suzanne Hellyer
Sheila Herbert
Stephen Herrlinger
Paul Heuerman
William Hewitt

Thomas Hicks
Christina Hinson
David Hoffman
Ward Hollinger
Nancy Horn
Robin Horst

Julie Hunsicker
Ann Hunt
Stephen Hunter
Lynda Huston
Darrell Isaiah
Erroll Isaiah

IN MEMORIAL

Paul Kruder 1959-1976

Teachers fool Leslie Al[illegible]nda Bernath, and Ti[illegible]

Val Botz and Sue Bly mingle with upperclassmen

Darnella Jackson
Joyce Jacobs
Julie James

Alicia Johnson
Beverly Johnson
James Jones

Charlie Kay is absorbed in learning.

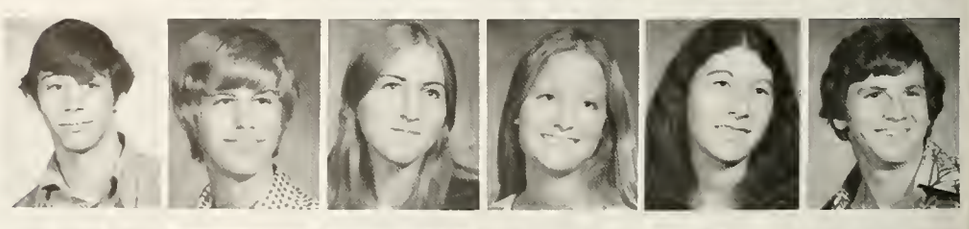
Not much studying is being done by Cathy Wagner and Marlene Zetzer.

on and Anne Lynch

Kelleigh Jones
Lori Jones
Timothy Jones

Gregory Joyce
Edward Kady
James Kalkofen
Jeffrey Kamenir
Deborah Katz
Charles Kay

Mark Kelly
Michael Kemp
Betsy Kendrick
Jennifer Kish
Mary Jane Koch
Kenneth Kodish



Marcia Kodish
Carol Kolbe
Karen Kolbe
Thomas Kozma
Paul Kruder
Karen Kuzmishin

Michele Lakatos
Elizabeth LeBlanc
Dorthy Leisher
Lori Leslie
Pamela Levinson
Maureen Linehan

Robert Linton
Janet Lisle
Robert Littman
Cheryl Long
Dorothy Long
Lynn Lorenz

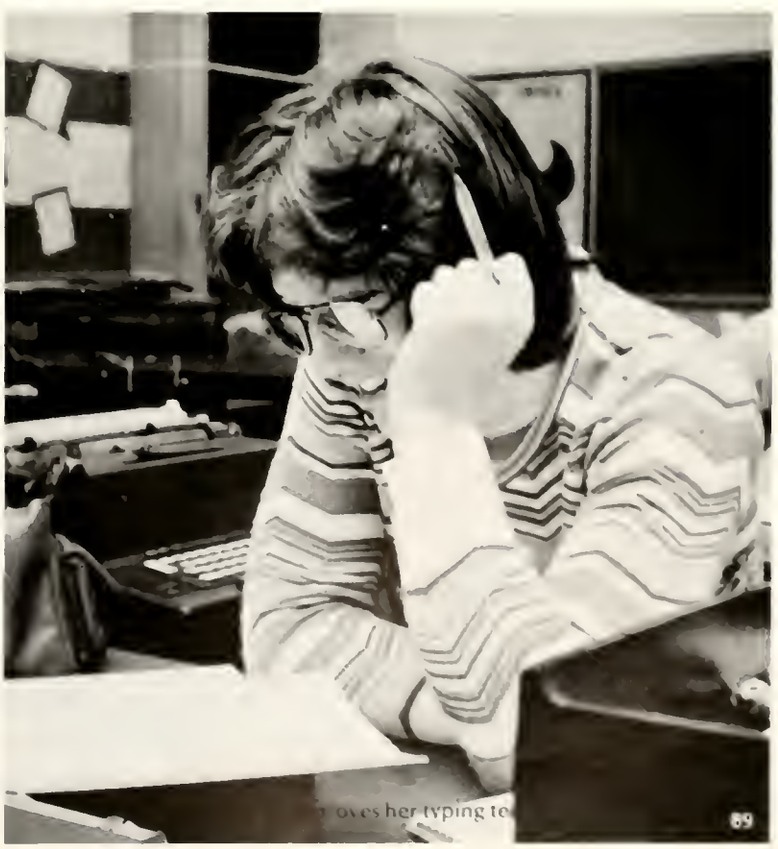
Is it Darrell or Erroll? Only the Isaiahs know for sure.

Laura Ludwig
Steven Lueptow
Albert Lyde

Michele Mac Innis
Nita Mandel
Gregg Manes

June Manos
Angela Markley
Justene May

Emy Coll[illegible] and Meg Flickinger share good laughs.



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Kevin McAlonan

William McClellan

Juniors concentrate on the lesson.

Juniors line up for a show of [illegible] spirit.

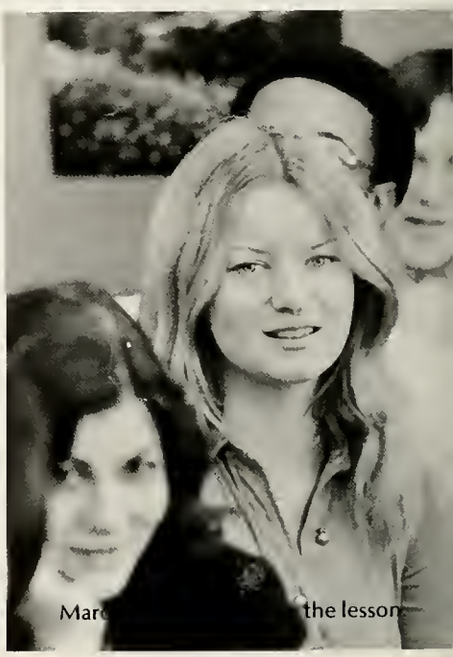
Teresa Sal[illegible]drerie is amused.

Timtohy McCormick
Nancy McDonald
Teresa McGohan
Jennifer McMellon
Susan McQuigg
David Merrow

Sandra Meyn
Arthur Michaels
Kyle Migdal

David Miller
Jeffrey Miller
Thomas Millis

Maureen Minter
Michael Mintz
Neil Mirman



Mar[illegible] the lesson.

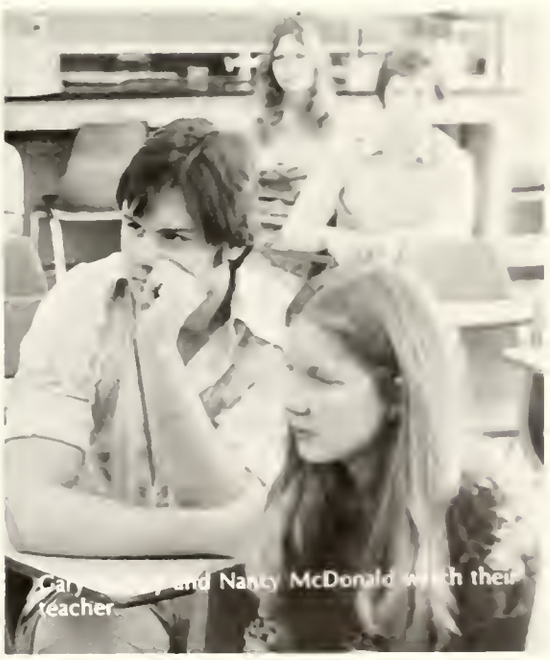
Thomas Mitchell
Kelley Mock
William Monaghan
Bruce Moore
Christopher Morris
Gina Morris

Glenn Mosley
Desiree Mullen
Barbara Murphy
Leslie Murray
Alvin Nagel
Susan Neff

Drew Neiman
Harvey Nelson
Steven Nelson
Julie Nicholas
Walter Nischt
Diana Nixon

Cathy Nobil
Millicent Odie
Diane Oreschak
Dennis Orr
Lorraina Orth
Wendy Osborne

Step[illegible] Taylo[illegible] Julie[illegible]rwilliger find a chance to talk.



Gary [illegible] and Nancy McDonald watch their teacher.

Eva Owen
Mark Owen
John Owens
Roberta Paige
George Pappas
Gary Pate

Deborah Patterson
Mary Peca
Franklyn Peck
Karen Pels
John Perry
Leslie Pfeiffer

Mary Phillips
Raymond Phillips

Karl Pohle
John Poleondakis

Cynthia Porpora
Kenneth Potrock

"How can you do that?" asks Bob T

Mary Prosperi
Milton Prosperi
Joann Quatraro
Albert Rakas
Julie Rammel
Robert Ramnytz

Joel Rapport
Paula Rauckhorst
Marcia Rebeck
Gerald Reece
Anne Reed
George Reese

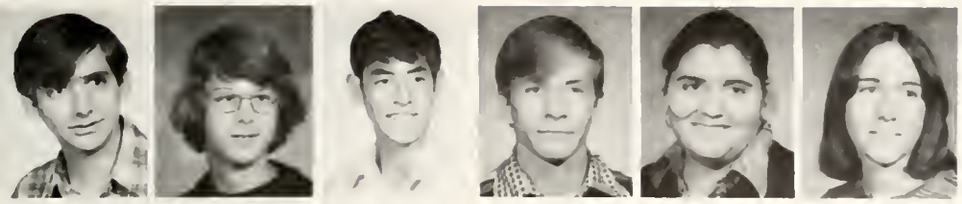
Michelle Reeves
Katherine Reilly
Elizabeth Reymann
Paul Rick
Patricia Riddel
Kent Riley

David Ritenour

John Roberts

Frank Robinson

Julie Rammel doubts what she has



Malcolm Rosenthal
Charles Ross
Lawrence Roth
Martin Ruhaak
Leslie Sandel
Teresa Sandrene

Lori Sarkis
Michael Sarkis
Ruth Schapp
Elvin Scheaffer
Holly Schneier
Lisa Schneier

Tom Millis interrupts his work for a smile.

Marla Schneier
George Schreiner

Jeff Miller waits for attendance to be taken in third hour.

Lori Schultz
William Schwartz
Daniel Sefton
Mark Seward
Douglas Shaw
Susan Sherman

David Shriver
George Shullo
Janet Siedenstrang
Linda Siefkas
Jacque Sisler
Vernon Skeans

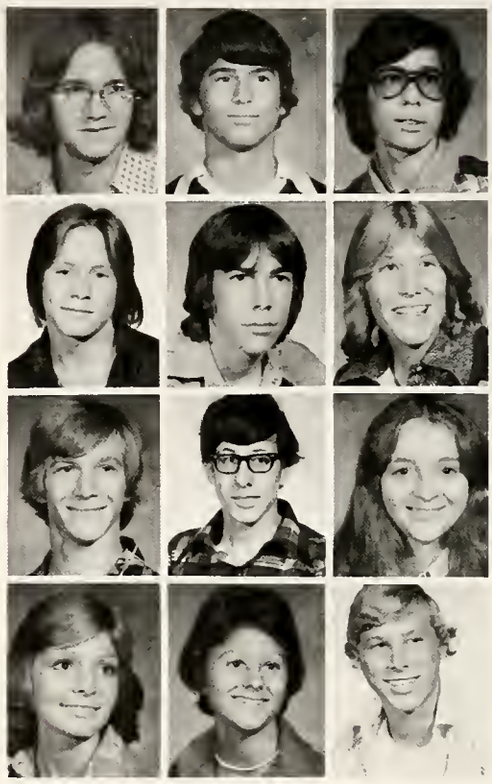
Marc Slaughter
David Smith
Desiree Southwood
Julia Stanson
Robert Stark
Susan Starn

Jeffrey Stasell
Timothy Steele
Steven Stein

James Stiller
Barry Stout
Susan Stutler

Michael Swan
Stuart Tapper
Kathi Techau

Julie Terwilliger
Mary Thurman
Walter Thurn



Mary Flohr and Bob Gingras share their Study Hall together.

Gina Morris flashes a smile.

Karen Anders[illegible] a corny joke.

Jody Tolley
Tedra Treece
Barton Tunnicliffe
Robert Tyulty
Judith Umansky
Mark Van Derveen

Lorraine Velikoff
Catherine Wagner
Patricia Wanless
Angela Webb
Jill Wegner
Sharon Welner

hin, Shelly Bymakos and

Philip Weygandt
Susan White
Daniel Wiener

Harry Willen
Pamela Williams
William Williams

Frank Wiliamson
Frederick Wilson
Michael Wiskind

David Wong
Laurie Woodford
Diane Wozniak

Leslie Wright
David Wroblewski
Michael Wyatt
Robert Xanthos
Leila Yassine
Cherie Yelin

ringer wonders if he is in the right class.

Marlene Zetzer
John Zimmerman

Steven Zimmerman

Greg Joyce and Ed Kady work hard in Si

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Immanual Abay
Della Abel
Mitchell Ackerman
Tracy Ahern

Natalie Aker
Karen Albright
Robert Allison
Carrie Allread

Susan Ameling
Stanley Andrews
Kathryn Andrus
Mark Armstrong

Margaret Mundy in the halls

David Arnold
David Ashbrook
Sandra Averell
Susan Ayoup
William Bahn
Sara Bailey

Jill Baitz
George Balaj
Ward Ballard
Mark Barbernitz
Lori Barbuto
David Barnett

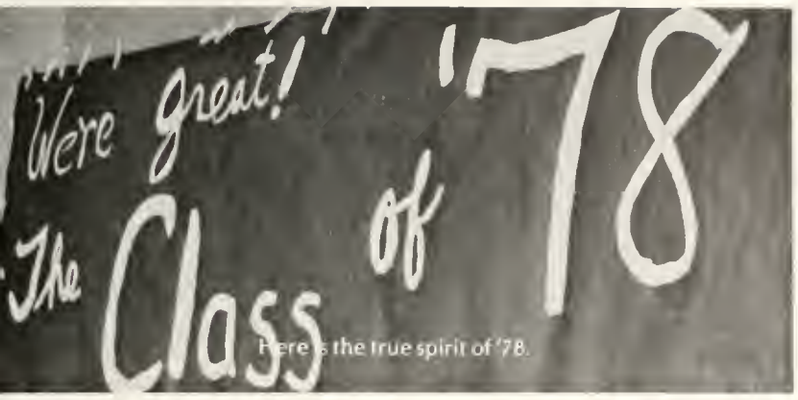
Thomas Barracato

Dianna Bartilson

Gregory Basile

Marie Beland

Greg Bowling goes up to bat, while Pete Harmata coaches his teammate.



Here's the true spirit of '78.

Robert Beland

John Beris

Shirley Bernat
Janet Bernstein
Stephen Bier
Gary Bikun
Christy Bishop
Barry Bloch

Mark Blumenthal
Cheryl Bondurant
Frederick Boshara
Gregory Bowling
Christine Branden
Dawn Brasaemle

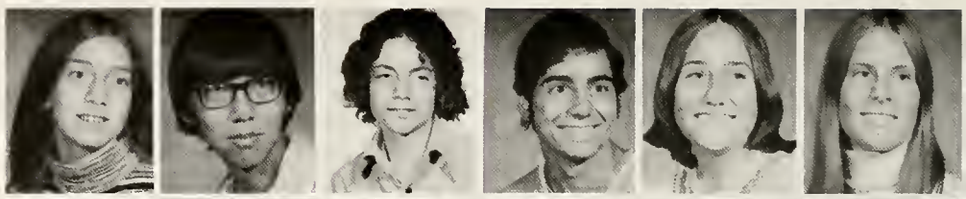
Susan Braver
Terrence Brennan
Donald Brown
Thomas Bujorian
Cathy Burns
Carolyn Cadwell

Eric Calhoun
Yvonne Capelle
Theodore Caputo
Dennis Carpenter
Patricia Carroll
Teresa Carroll

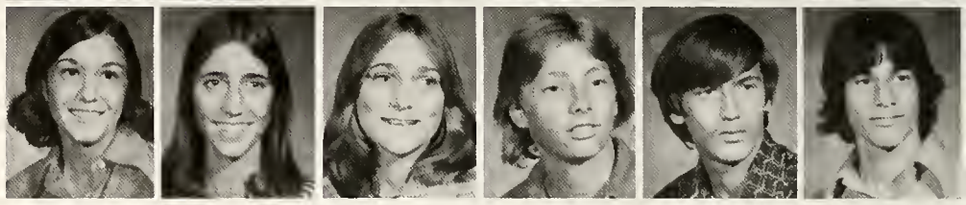
Sophomores are quite busy in Wood Shop.

Bob Garr sl[illegible] through another class.

Sherri Chapman
Peter Chen
Jay Cheplowitz
Mark Christoff
Constance Clark
Deborah Clark



Lora Cleaver
Carla Coberly
Alison Connor
Charles Cook
Clayton Coons
Eric Cooper



Foster Cooper
Michael Coyne
Charles Crane
Robin Crawford
Gerald Crew
Debbie Criner

Cathy Criss
Jane Cruder
James Cunningham
Francia Dannemiller
John Daugherty
Christopher D'Avello

James Davidson
James Davies
Elizabeth Davis

Sophomore girls shiver between dives.

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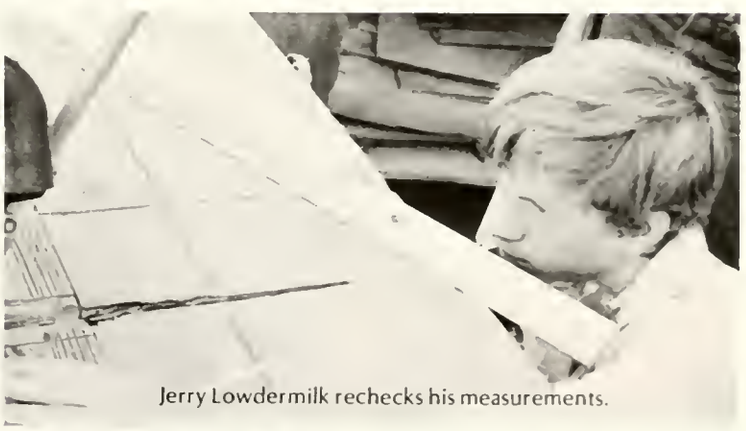
Jane Davis
Henry Deist
Susan Denholm
Thomas Deveny
Steven Dies
Mary Dillon

Jenny Doelling
Benjamin Duke
Dawn Duran
Laura Eddey
Jeffrey Ellis
Leslie Ellis

Paula Elmer
Karen Emerson
Keith Emerson
Sarah Emich
Thomas Erickson
Donna Ermatinger

Deborah Etheridge
Melinda Falb
Michelle Feldheimer
Laura Ferber
John Ferrise
Robert Fioramonti

Barb Volk dares to jump off the high dive.



Jerry Lowdermilk rechecks his measurements.

Mary Mellor Williams in class.

Lisa Forrester
Lucius Fox
Carole Frank

Kevin Frease
Howard Freedman
Amy Friedman

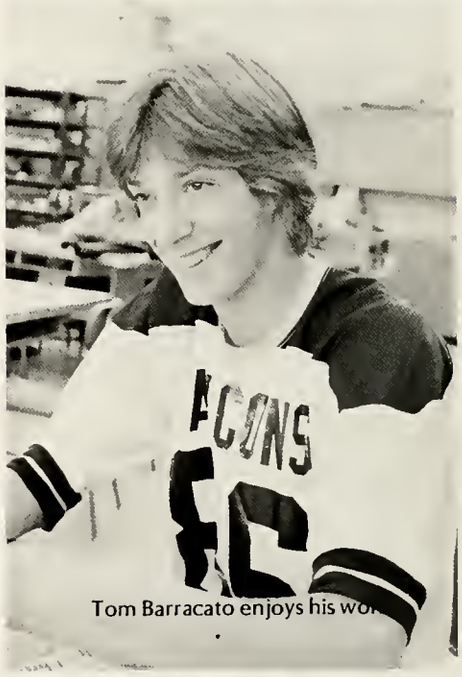
Jeanine Friend
DawnGalloway
Joyce Garman

Loren Garthoff
Pamela Gasparri
Scott Geller
Deanna Gess
Robert Glass
Joel Godard

LoriGodfrey
Barry Goldstein
David Green
Stanley Gresham
Margaret Griebling
Steven Guilmette

Debra Guran
Julie Hall
Peter Harmata
Robert Harpley
Donald Hartline
John Hathaway

Dave Knowles reads the latest news in the Band Room.



Tom Barracato enjoys his wo

Jill Healey
Gary Hecker
Kathleen Hecker

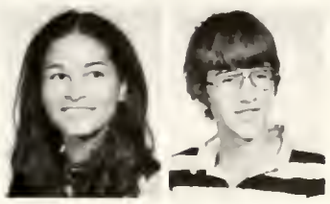
Jessica Hedler
James Helminski
Rose Herman
Thomas Herold
Claire Hess
Rosalie Hiebel

Lauren Hilton
Anne Horrigan
James Hudson
David Hudspath
Jennifer Hunter
Joyce Hurst

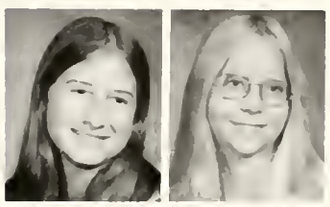
Jamie Huston
Connie Hyatt
Frank Jackman
Jeffrey James
Craig Jemson
Michael Jones

Looks like Patty Mac Innis has had a hard day.

Cornelia Kanakarides
Carrie Kaufman



Roseann Kelly
Grant Kendrick



Kandy Kesselring
Martha Kesti

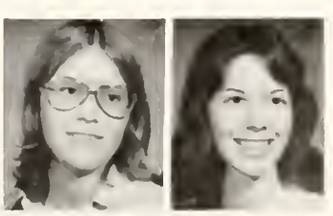
Ronald Kiehl
Susan Kindel
Joan Kirschner
Naomi Klayman
Ronald Kline
David Knowles

Louis Konstan
David Kormushoff
Kay Kress
Geoffrey Kroll
Gregory Krone
Lisa Kuzmishin

Kathleen Laman
Thomas Lancaster
Kevin Landsness
Jon Laria
Julie Laria
Kirk Larimore

In gym, Howard Freedman and Jens Mullen play whiffleball.

David Lash



Anne Lebold
Teresa Leib

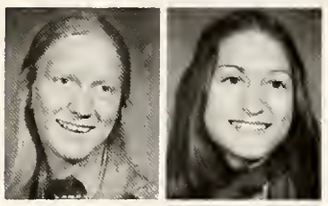
Reena Leibtag
Mitchell Leshin

Cheryl Lever
Michael Levey
Elizabeth Levin
Carolyn Lewis
Angela Licause
Christine Linton

Chris Lipari
Janet Livingston
Paul Livingston
Gerald Lowdermilk
Shari Lowy
Jonathan Lund

Stephen Lux
Crystal Lyde

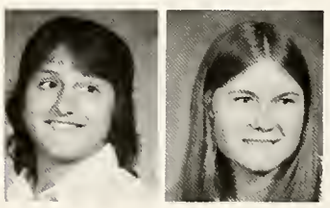
Laurie Mac Donald
Patricia Mac Innis



Geoffrey Malecky
Deborah Manning

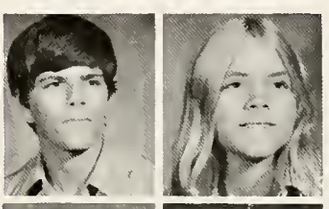
Jill Healey says, "I [illegible] ght on the [illegible] of my tongue."

Kally Manos
Gloria Manson



Mark Manson
Tonia Martel

John Marziale
Sarah Mather



Deborah Mathews
Bryan May

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Laura Eddey listens to lecture.

Chris Bishop and Jennie Schauer: sink or swim?

Carol McCormick
Kathleen McHugh
James McKenzie
Kerry McWilliams
Robert Meckler
Mary Mellion

Katharina Menyes
Richard Merideth
Jacqueline Meyer
Remo Micozzi
Robert Miller
William Miller

Randall Mirman
Kathleen Moore
Mark Mosley
Eric Mostow
Jens Mullen
Margaret Mullin

Margaret Mundy
Molly Myers
Scott Neely
Marian New
Debra Newman
Jan Niggemyer

Phillip Nold
John Ober
Violet Olah
Phyllis Omar
Nancy O'Neil
Alan Oreschak

Tim Gill finds happiness in the Student Center.

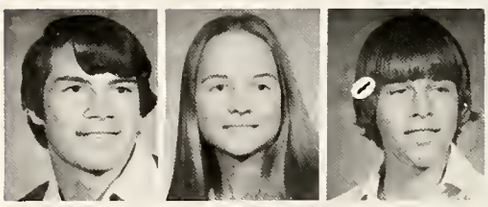
Dennis Owen

Lucille Owens

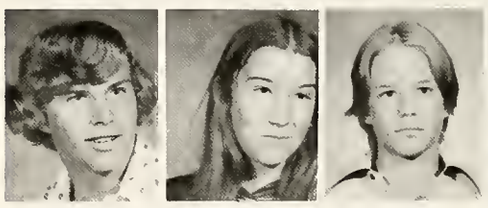
Daniel Pagel
Todd Peterson
Zdenka Petrek
Beverly Pfahl
Lori Pfeiffer
Ruth Pflueger

Darryl Phillips
Randal Picker
Jacques Ragan
Susan Rankin
Charles Redd
Barbara Reece

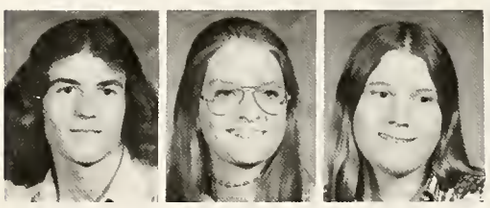
David Renner
Jill Reynolds
Gregory Rhoads



Kenneth Richards
Sherrie Riley
Terry Ritchie



Kurt Robey
Norean Robinson
Delores Rogers



Don Hartline and Martha Kesti "bump".

Denise Rosenstock
Nancy Ross

Judith Sanders
Patricia Sandrene

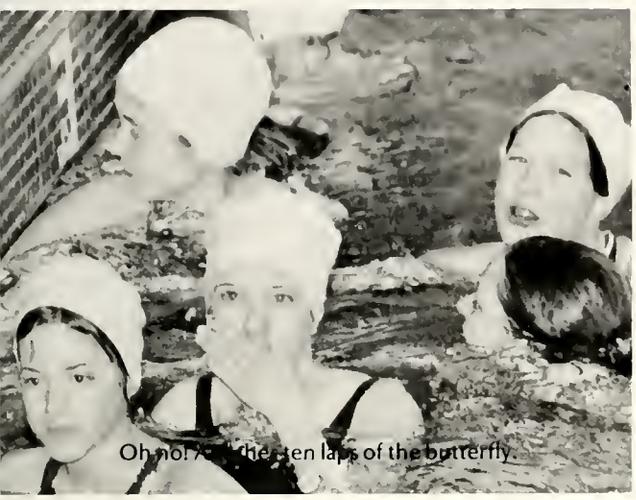
Kimberley Sargon
Eugene Sawan

Christopher Scarlett
Jeanne Schauer

Mary Dillon makes a friend.

Cathy Schlossberg
Mark Schneiderman
Steven Schobert
Timothy Scholl
Michael Schumacher
Barry Shecht

Gary Shellenberger
Margaret Shriver
Barbara Sigel
Eric Skidmore
Thomas Skidmore
Timothy Smith



Oh no! Another ten laps of the butterfly.

Mary Webb finds humor in the classroom.

Verna Snaith
Jeffrey Snyder
Robin Solitt
Lila Spengler
Mary Starkey
Robert Stearns

Cheryl Stein
Joseph Stein
Constance Stewart
Melissa Stimson
Lillian Stojic
Cynthia Stone

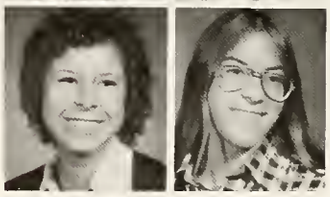
David Strong
Sharon Stutler
Troy Sucher
Leisa Suhayda
Randy Tackovich
Steven Thomas

Chris Thompson
John Thompson
John Thorpe
Patrick Tillet
Nancy Trafas
Maria Trasancos

Galen Treadgold
Kathleen Treml
Paula Trocchio
Scott Troyan
John Tuhela
Andrew Uy

Thomas Van Houten
Michael Vernon

Susan Vogel
Barbara Volk



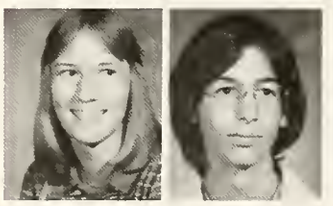
Jeffrey Wable
Richard Wagner

Margaret Walter
Elizabeth Wathen

Mary Webb
Roger Weinberg
Scott Weiner
Douglas Weintraub
Valerie Whitecotton
Deborah Williams

Kimberly Williams
Linda Williamson
David Wise
Lynn Wiskind
Michael Wong
Beverley Worrell

Deborah Wortham
Neil Wyant

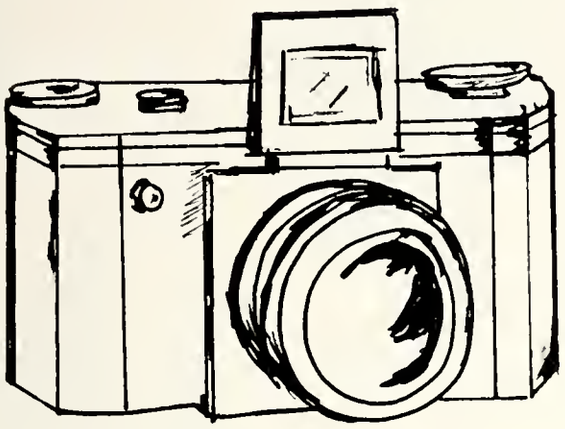


Cathy Yost
Emmanuel Zanoudakis

Sofia Zolis
Timothy Zupke

Sharon Stutler can't believe she swam the whole thing!

Underclassmen not pictured

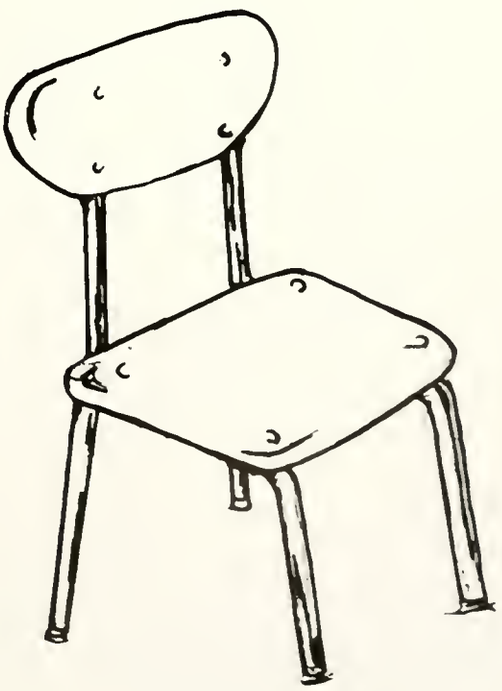


Juniors

Ugne Adams
Mark Axelrod
Anna Broderick
Chris Canute
James Clinefelter
Robert Cook
Silvia Decardenas
Frances Didato
William Delong
Robert Dempster
Kevin Denholm
Michael DeShon
Kristine Engum
Vincent Ferris
Deborah Frank
Ingrid Harmon
Terry Laman
Robert Littman
Karen Markovich
Robert Maroney
Sharyl Miller
George Pappas
Gary Pate
Frank Peck
Susan Phillips
Suzanne Rauh
Keith Sweeney
Stephanie Taylor
David Tedeschi
Michael Televski
Tom Thrower
Nancy Tyrrell
Robert Tyulty
Eric Upton
John Vasilev
James Weiss

Sophomores

Richard Arison
Clifford Bauman
Tracy Black
David Chavez
Mark Communale
Stephen Conley
Brian Cox
Anthony Cursio
Elsa Decardenas
Fred George
John Gill
Jerry Groden
Diane Guillod
John Hitzenbaugh
Mirta Josic
Chris Karr
Amy Kelley
Richard Leach
Richard Leibfarth
Phyllis Madden
Jesse Monk
Kelly Mulhern
Todd Norval
Barbara Nurches
Dolores Pake
James Pinion
Brian Rauh
David Slate
Mark Smith
Laura Somnitz
Brett Sutter
David Trumphour
Judith Vucovich
Jack Weaver
Margary Weber
Craig Wellock
James York



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Homecoming dance draws largest

Although our football team was defeated by Central Hower, the Homecoming weekend was a success. During halftime, a caravan of sports cars carrying the Court paraded onto the field. Last year's queen, Barb Johnson, relinquished her crown to Debbie Walls with the assistance of Crowner Cindy Buzby. During the dance, Freedom played the theme, "You've made me so very happy," while the Court was presented.

1. Firestone fans hope for another Homecoming victory. 2. Mike Kiehl and Jane Wykoff take a breather. 3. Debbie Walls happily displays her bouquet. 4. Couples dance to the music of Freedom. 5. The Homecoming Court anxiously awaits the crowning of the queen.

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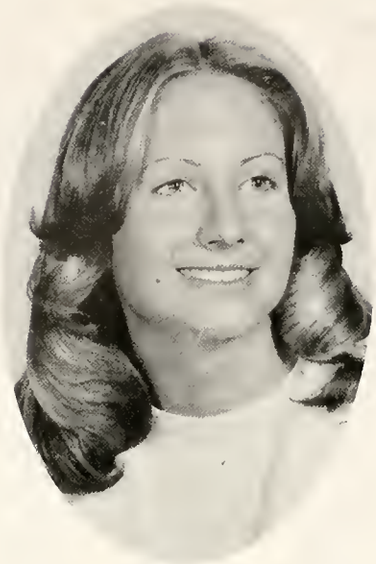
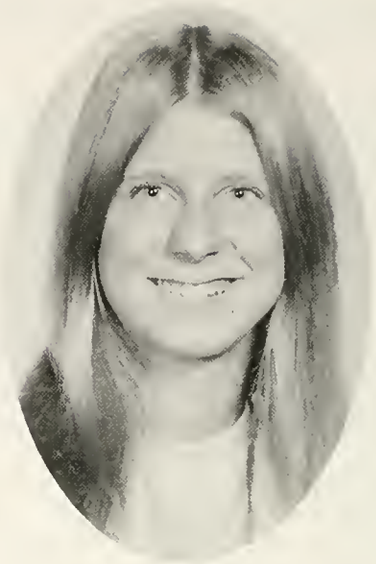
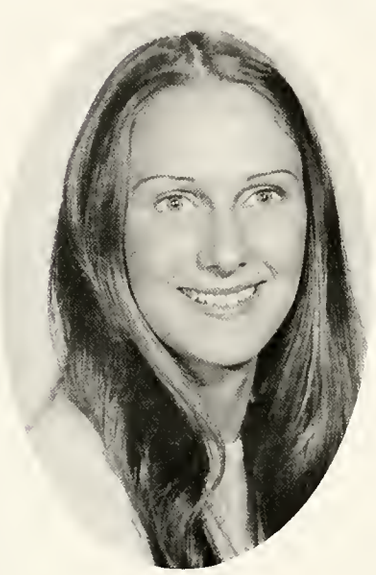
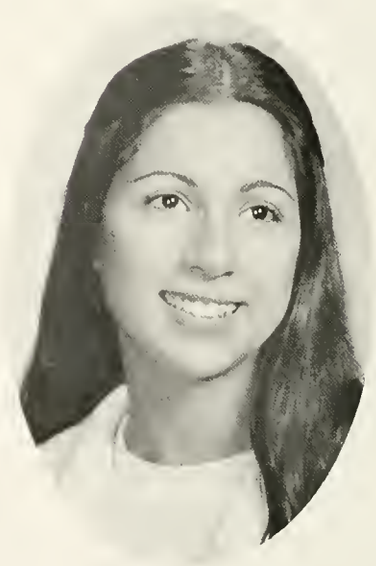
crowd ever

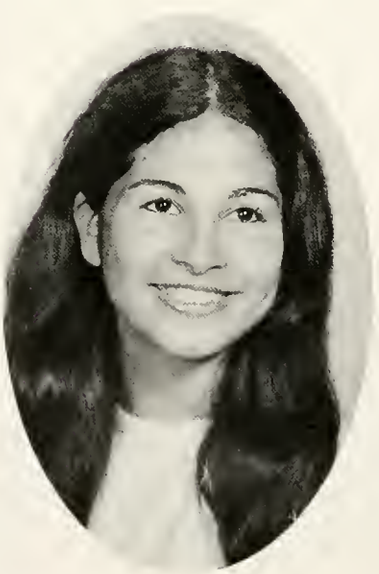
1. Presenting our 1975 Homecoming Court. 2. Mr. Underwood escorts Karen during the Homecoming ceremony. 3. Cindy Buzby takes pride in crowning Debbie Walls. 4. Senior members of the Court parade during halftime.

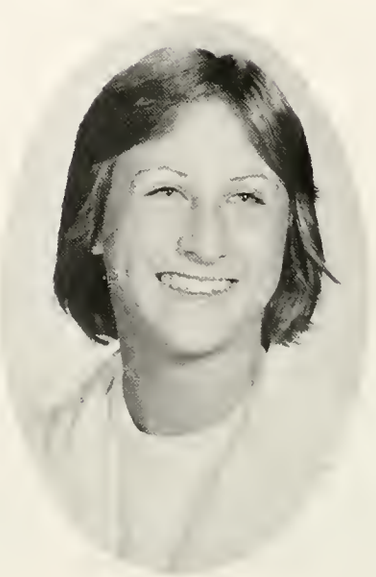












Seniors
Kim Bly
Robin Jackson
Karen Underwood
Juniors
Beth Gillman
Laurie Sarkis
Leila Yassine
Sophomores
RoseAnn Kelly
Connie Stewart

1976 HOMECOMING COURT

QUEEN
DEBBIE WALLS

CROWNER
CINDY BUZBY

Firestone stages its first

The first annual Sadie Hawkins Dance was held on February 14, 1976. Homeroom Representatives, National Honor Society, VOLPLANE, Focus, and Booster Club each nominated a boy to be on the court. The attendants were: seniors Doug New, Roger Preston, and Jim Walter; junior Brent Friedman; and sophomore Pat Tillet. At the dance, Doug New was proclaimed king, and the crowner was Brent Friedman.

1. Time out for conversation 2. Bob Zupke selects some pastries. 3. Brenda Burnham displays the king's crown. 4. Chris Wilcox, Monica Albrecht, and Meg Flickinger smile for the camera. 5. Get down!

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turnabout dance

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1. King Doug New dances with Claudia Batug to the music of Heat. 2. Crowner Brent Friedman congratulates Doug New. 3. Senior Jim Walter and Julie Rammel are announced. 4. Stacy Williams escorts senior attendant Roger Preston. 5. Sophomore court member Pat Tillet and Debbie Guran wait in line.

Thespians stage

1. "Can't get the red out until you get the drops in," advises Roger Preston. 2. Chris McFadden ponders his part. 3. "Dost thou know the answer?" queries Laura Godard. 4. Kenny Potrock tells Mimi Zetzer, "We've got to stop meeting like this." 5. Dr. John Perry wonders about Mike Wiskind's welfare. 6. "8,9,10! Knockout!" pronounce Randy Picker and Dave Ritenour over Chris McFadden.

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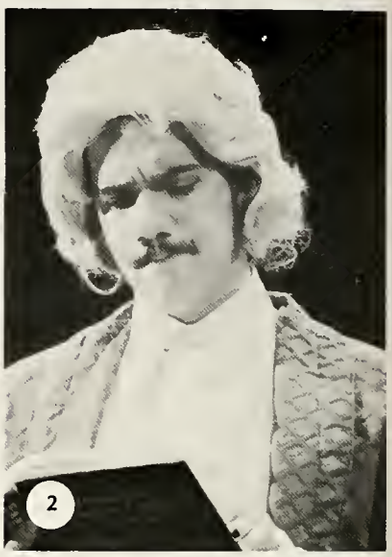
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"Tom Jones"

"Tom Jones"

Partridge	Roger Preston
Bridget Allworthy	Michelle Fair
Squire Allworthy	Mike Wiskind
Deborah	Faye Terri Pratt
Jenny Jones (Mrs. Waters)	Sue Gertz
Captain Bliful	Chris McFadden
Tom Jones	Ken Potrock
Thwackum	Dave Ritenour
Square	Don Hartline
Mr. Western	John Ramsey
Sophia Western	Marlene Zetzer
Miss Western	Laura Godard
Honour	Michele MacInnis
Justice Dowling	Randy Picker
Doctor	John Perry
Highwayman	Beau Owens
Harriet Fitzpatrick	Krissy Kozesky
Fitzpatrick	John Perry
Mrs. Whitefield	Adell Gemmell
Susan	Kathy Andrus
Lady Bellaston	Stacie Williams
Nancy	Martha Kesti
Constable	Don Hartline
Servants	Marty Eichner and Delores Pake

On May 7 and 8 the Thespians presented "Tom Jones" in the school auditorium. The drama was based on the novel by Henry Fielding. The setting of the story was 18th century England. The first act opened to show Tom Jones, played by Kenneth Potrock, in love with Sophia Western, played by Marlene Zetzer. Tom was wronged by his cousin Bliful and was banished from Somersetshire by Squire Allworthy, played by Mike Wiskind. In the second act the paths of Tom and his sweetheart cross, but they never do meet while on their way to London. In act three Tom is wrongfully charged with the murder of Fitzpatrick, played by John Perry. Tom in the end is acquitted, and he immediately marries Sophia, and they lived happily ever after.

The play was directed by Mrs. Carolyn Tener, and the student director was Pam Williams. Tom Seese was the stage manager. Also participating in the presentation were the stage crew, publicity crew, sound crew and make-up crew.

Falcons capture the spirit of the twenties

On February 26,27,28,29,1976, the lights were dimmed and the curtain rose to "Guys and Dolls", a Firestone High School musical comedy.

1. Directors: Mr. Lentine, Cheryl Reynolds, Mr. Thomas 2. The Cast 3. Jeff Harig 4. Debbie Landis 5. Sue Winland 6. Jeff Mraz

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"Guys and Dolls"

Nicely-Nicely	Gary Reese
Benny Southstreet	Tom Hathaway
Rusty Charlie	Ken Dorsey
Sarah Brown	Sue Winland
Arvide Abernathy	Douglas New
Harry the Horse	Greg Norval
Lt. Brannigan	John Ramsey
Nathan Detroit	Jeff Harig
Angie the Ox	Dave Ritenour
Miss Adelaide	Debbie Landis
Sky Masterson	Jeff Mraz
Joey Bittmore	Christopher McFadden
Mimi	Jennifer McMellon
General Matilda B. Cartwright	Stacie Williams
Big Jule	Mike Kiehl
Drunk	John Ellis
Waiter #1	Ward Ballard
Waiter #2	Bob Miller

MISSION BAND: Debbie Burnham, Janne Conger, Margi Griebling, Susan Kaufman, Roseann Kelly, Sandy Meyn, Bob Miller, Douglas New, Noula Poleondakis, Mark Schneiderman, Marla Schneier, Kathi Techau, Dave Weintraub, Stacie Williams.
DANCERS: Monica Albright, Claudia Batug, Besty Davis, Meganne Flickinger, Beth Gillman, Robin Jackson, Nancy McDonald, Jennifer McMellon, Lori Snaith, Pam Williams.
CRAP SHOOTERS: Ward Ballard, Ken Dorsey, John Ellis, Mike Kiehl, Mark McDonald Greg Norval, Dave Ritenour.

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1. Don't just lie there Mike Kiehl, do something! 2. Miss Adelaide, Debbie Landis, and "The Hot Box Girls" specialize in entertainment. 3. Listen world and you shall hear . . . 4. Jeff Harig tries to make his dream contagious. 5. The backstage chaos and frolic on opening night

MAY COURT

Debbie Landis— Queen

Dan Riew—King

Liz Logan—Crowner

Pete Allread—Crowner

Krissy Kozesky—Senior

Laura Mills—Senior

Lydia Voth—Senior

Ron Peterson—Senior

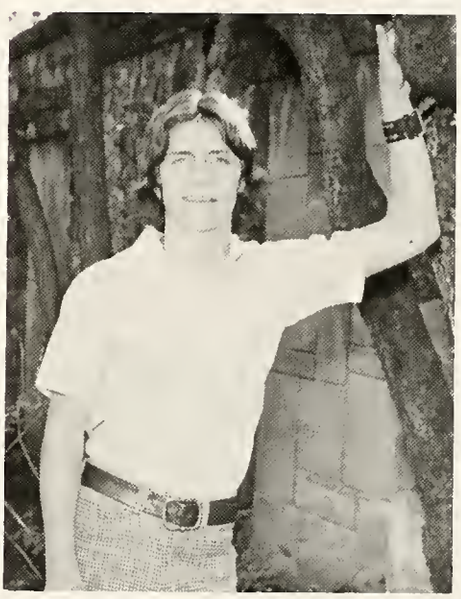
Chris Wilcox—Senior

Diane Wozniak—Junior

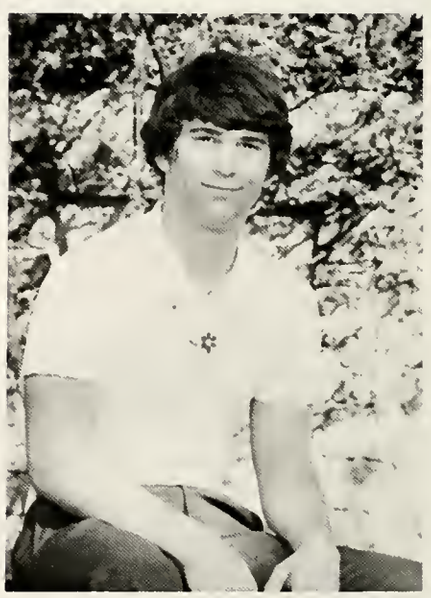
Jennifer McMellon—Junior

Sue Davis—Junior

Nick Adams—Junior



Dave Stahl—Junior



Tim Steele—Junior

Nancy O'Neil—
Sophomore

Jill Reynolds—
Sophomore

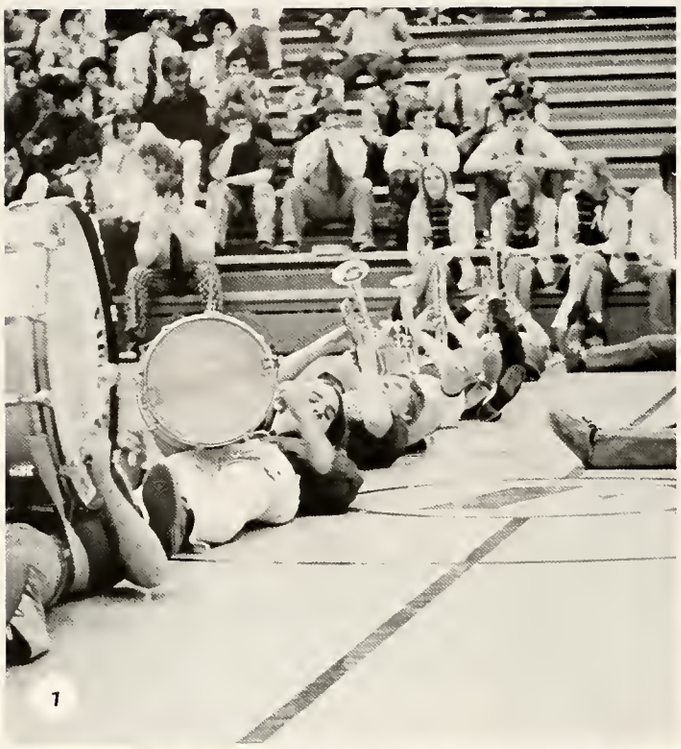
Ward Ballard—
Sophomore

Dave Renner—
Sophomore

Summit, a Firestone High School band, played for the annual May Dance. The theme of the '76 event was "The Best of My Love." The highlight of the affair took place when crowners Liz Logan and Pete Allread crowned Debbie Landis and Dan Riew. Afterward, the king and queen danced the traditional court dance, and soon the crowd joined in. The May Dance was sponsored by the Homeroom Reps who put much time and effort into planning and decorating.

1. Some of Summit—Don Church, Gary Reese, Rick Sanders, and John Wiseman 2. Jay Cheplowitz takes Connie Stewart's pulse. 3. Wriggling and writhing, swinging and swaying, that's the way we go a Maying. 4. 1976 May Court

Putting it all together



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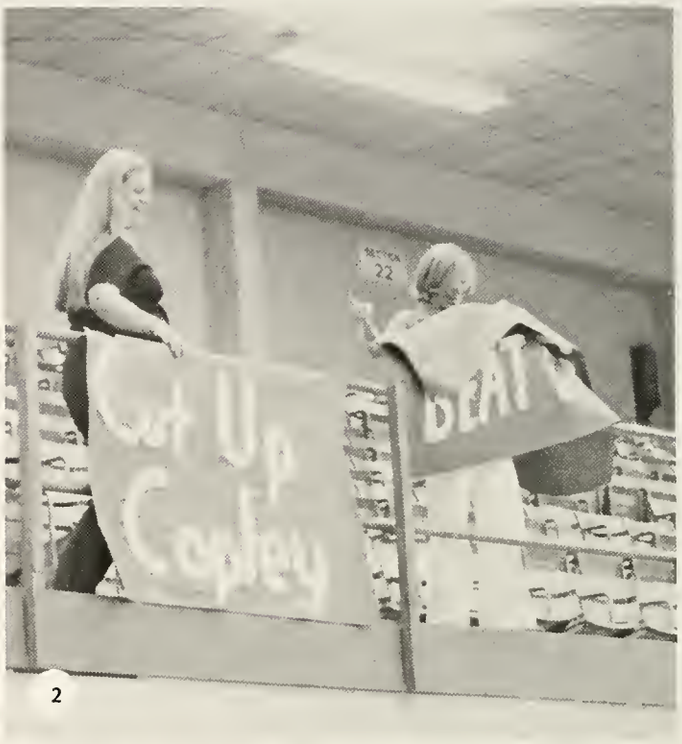

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1. Falcon Marching Band lying down on the job 2. Lynn Wilson and Linda Guran pep up the gym balcony. 3. Sue Winland and Doug New caught from behind in "Guys and Dolls" 4. Cindy and Curt Yehnert keep modeling "all in the family."

1. Homecoming crowner Cindy Buzby is escorted by her father. 2. Laura King struts her stuff at the Rubber Bowl. 3. Jenny Lund and Charles Kay play music to model by at the Home Ec. style show. 4. Shelley Bymakos—Aw! Gee! Golly! 5. Childrens' play cast; (Front Row): M. Eichner, R. Preston. (Second Row): C. McFadden—Director, L. Schultz, L. Godard, V. Gellin, C. Batug, A. Gemmell. (Third Row): P. Williams, S. Williams, J. Ramsey.

1. DOWNTOWN REPRESENTATIVES; M. Eichner, J. White. Marty and John talked with the Superintendent of Schools and other representatives about problems in the schools and discussed new ideas for the improvements of the school system.

2. INTERCLUB COUNCIL; (Front Row): L. Guran—Booster Club, P. Nicolino—Spanish Club, B. Burnham—Homeroom Representatives. (Second Row): R. Preston—NFL, J. Brown—Service Club, J. Harig—LRC Club. (Third Row): L. Menassa—French Club, L. Smith—Cheerleaders. These students combined their efforts to better the school.

3. NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY; (Front Row): M. Stell, P. Norton, L. Sobel, N. Poleondakis, P. Snow—Treas., L. Smith—Sec., L. Knauer—Pres., R. Jackson—V. Pres., P. Miller—V. Pres. (Second Row): J. Lund, J. Shomo, L. Ludwig, T. Vetter, B. Lewis, B. Drexler, A. Murrow, J. Murphy, M. Mitten, S. Vasilatos, T. Laraway. (Third Row): P. McKinstry, K. Brasaemle, L. Ervin, L. McCauley, G. Guillod, B. Burnham, L. Mills, C. Buzby, J. Kaipainen, M. Segatta, B. James. (Fourth Row): S. Awadalla, C. Rhoads, B. Lebold, H. Lowy, L. Menassa, M. Menyes, B. Ireland, L. Clark, K. Wagner, K. Bird, K. Griebling. (Fifth Row): S. Levin, K. Glenn, S. Williams, R. Preston, A. Leshman, L. Guran, F. Gordon, D. Schlossberg, B. Herrlinger, C. McFadden, L. Hiebel.

1. COALITION; (Front Row): D. VanAuker, B. Rosenthal—Pres., L. Rose, R. Picker, D. Leisher, Miss Courtney, Sister J. Babeaux, Mr. Sappenfield. (Second Row): D. Fish, S. Ballard. Coalition was the legislative body of the school. It considered and investigated the problems of the school and presented solutions. The group recommended changes to Mr. Friedman. The body consisted of administrators, faculty, parents and students.

2. HOMEROOM REPRESENTATIVES; (Front Row): R. Laraway—Treas., L. Knauer—Sec., B. Burnham—Pres., D. New—V. Pres., P. Miller—Sec. The Homeroom Representatives were selected by their homerooms to plan activities throughout the year. They began with the Homecoming weekend in October with a caravan and mum sale. The canned food drive for needy families was held in November, and a bake sale was held in December. They started something new this year, a turnabout Valentine's dance. Groups in the school elected boys to the court. They also painted trash cans around the school. Another new item was the Battle of the Bands in April. Of course, they sponsored the traditional May Dance.

1. OFFICE WORKERS; (Front Row): R. Leibtag. (Second Row): K. Moore, J. Conley, K. Adamson. (Third Row): P. McGinnis, M. Flohr. (Fourth Row): D. Oreshak; L. Yassine, P. Miller, L. McCauley. (Fifth Row): M. Thurman, L. Orth. The Office Workers helped during their free periods in the office. They sorted attendance cards, answered absentee call-ins, and assisted the secretaries in any necessary situations. They were under the direction of Mrs. Mirman and Miss McElwain. The girls gave up their free time to help make Firestone High School run a little more smoothly.

2. COUNSELORS' AIDS: D. Frank, B. Wong, R. Herrlinger, V. Botz. The Counselors' Aids worked during the day to help the counselors with their work. They designed bulletin boards and sorted college information to aid the college-bound students. They helped instruct students as to the various catalogues and necessary forms for college. They also located students at the counselors' requests. The aids were of great value to Firestone's counselors.

3. HALLGUARDS; (Front Row): K. Murphy. (Second Row): R. Forwak, K. Glenn, K. Dobbins, K. Kroll. The Hallguards watched the halls during the lunch periods and made sure that lunch students did not disrupt classes. Another of their duties was to prevent vandalism. These students were instrumental in seeing that Firestone could continue its open lunch program.

1. NOON FILM WORKERS; (Seated): D. Tuhela, C. Black. (Standing): G. Manes, Mr. Love—Advisor, Mr. Vandever—Advisor, S. Collins. The Noon Film Workers assisted in co-ordinating the noon films for the enjoyment of the student body. They selected the films, collected the admission fee, and maintained the projectors.

2. BOOKSTORE ASSISTANTS; (Front Row): A. Reed, S. Collins. (Standing): L. Pfeiffer. The students purchased books and necessary items for school at the bookstore. These students worked either before school or during lunch to help keep the bookstore running smoothly. They worked under the supervision of Mr. Tritt.

3. ATTENDANCE WORKERS; B. James, M. Gomber, C. Yehnert, M. Wallace, B. Burnham, M. Godfrey, S. Lash, P. Thomen. The Attendance Workers assisted Mrs. Cramer and Mr. Tritt during their free periods. They distributed call slips and sorted excuse notes. They helped record the absences and locate schedules. They were extremely busy during the first confusing weeks of school.

4. CAFETERIA WORKERS, K. Dorsey, C. Cisston. These boys worked during lunch. They helped sort and stack trays, rinse utensils, and clean up when necessary. They assisted the cooks when a problem arose. They were under the direction of Mrs. Mellinger. For their services, they were given free lunches.

1. ELEMENTARY EXPERIENCE; (Front Row): L. Rose, H. Lowy, S. Salzman, L. Clark, L. Guran, M. Vigder. (Second Row): B. Beals, S. Rauckhorst, B. Herrlinger, K. Bird, K. Murphy, M. Flohr, K. Chapman, D. Tuhela, K. Eckard. These seniors spent one period a day at an area grade school. They tutored children with any type of academic problem. Some of these students also helped with piano playing, story telling, and crafts. The program was organized by Miss Lerch. It was designed to give students teaching experience during high school.

2. OUTDOOR EDUCATION; (Front Row): D. Harpley, C. Reiheld, B. Burnham, L. Ervin. (Second Row): J. Kaipainen, J. Brown, N. Poleondakis, L. Clark, K. Chapman, J. Kaplan. (Third Row): B. Starkey, J. Boucher, G. Norval, S. Brownfield, T. Worstal, B. Beringer. Outdoor Education counselors spent from three days to a week at Camp Y-Noah. The students were individually chosen by the staff. They were in charge of a cabin with a group of sixth graders from different Akron area schools. They also helped with activities, sing-alongs, and table preparation.

1. DRAMA CLUB; (Front Row): P. Williams—Treas., S. Williams—Sec., M. Zetzer—V. Pres. C. McFadden—Pres. (Second Row): J. Kalkofen, M. Wiskind, J. Harig, M. Eichner, R. Preston. The Thespians or Drama Club entertained the Firestone students throughout the year. Their major production was entitled "Tom Jones." They also presented a play for grade schools about a king and his love for cream puffs. In addition to acting in productions, the Thespians aided in make-up application and selected costumes.

2. NATIONAL FORENSIC LEAGUE; (Front Row): M. Eichner, J. Kalkofen, R. Preston—Pres., C. McFadden, B. Davis, J. Helminsky. (Second Row): P. Williams, L. Suhayda, M. Wiskind, S. Williams, L. Siefkas, P. Chen. NFL members competed in tournaments around Ohio. They participated in dramatic interpretations, extemporaneous speaking, debate, and humorous interpretation. They spent time memorizing, researching, and polishing their speeches for the weekend tournaments. Many of the league's members fared well in competition. Mr. Smith aided the students in perfecting their presentations.

1. VOICES STAFF; (Front Row): A. Leshman—Co-Editor, M. Vigder—Co-Editor. (Second Row): A. Murrow, K. Eckard, L. Siefkas. (Third Row): S. Gertz, C. McFadden. (Fourth Row): S. Brownfield, K. Griebling, R. Preston, J. Wykoff. VOICES was Firestone's literary magazine It featured poems, short stories, artwork, and musical pieces written by Firestone students.

2. CLOSE-UP PARTICIPANTS; L. Clark, A. Gemmell, I. Harmon. These girls went to Washington, D.C. to become familiar with governmental affairs. They spent a week in the city observing the state of affairs.

3. FOCUS STAFF; (Seated): G. Christoff, M. Wiskind—Editor. (Second Row): M. Wallace, L. Shuster, M. Eichner, E. Ball, P. Thomen, Mrs. Cliff—Advisor. (Third Row): B. Burnham, K. Griebling. This year's success of the FOCUS, Firestone's student newspaper, was the result of several changes. The paper's size was expanded from four pages to eight pages. The number of student subscribers also increased, giving the staff more working capital. The upgraded quality of the reporting was demonstrated by Theon Smith's receiving the award for best sports' story in Northeastern Ohio.

1. & 2. VOLPLANE STAFF; (Front Row): J. Watson—Editor, M. Chapman—Editor. (Second Row): M. Kiehl, N. Poleondakis, B. Burnham, K. Greibling, G. Giller, M. Eyler, M. Ameling. (Third Row): M. Falb, J. Guran, J. Wykoff, L. Smith, D. Van Auker, J. Walters, B. Rosenthal, M. Andreeff. The VOLPLANE culminated the school's activities, students, sports, and clubs into one book. The staff sold advertisements, layed out pages, planned pictures, and organized sections. The year began with a sales drive and ended with final inspection of the finished product. This book contains more color and more pages and new features and arrangements than any previous year.

3. DEBATE TEAM; R. Picker, L. Wiskind, N. Klayman. Not Pictured: S. Geller. All four members of Firestone's '76 Debate Team were sophomores who originally competed in the sophomore division; however, after faring so well and earning a trophy, their advisor, Mr. Smith, entered them into the junior division. They did equally well in this division and won another trophy, later competing in the varsity division and adding one more trophy to their collection.

1. CHESS TEAM; (Front Row): M. Rosenthal, D. Riew, S. Brownfield, M. Schnetz—Capt. (Second Row): Mr. Parker—Advisor, L. Sobel. Firestone's victorious Chess Team competed against various schools in the city. They practiced after school and during their free periods. Anyone who wished to try out for the Chess Team was welcome to match his skills against the masters.

2. ART CLUB; (Front Row): A. Duve. (Second Row): S. White—Pres., J. McMellon—Pres. This club worked on art projects. They started a new activity this year which was the display of their creations in a showcase in the commons. They used this as a fund raiser by selling the items in the display. They frequently took trips to area art shows.

3. INDUSTRIAL ARTS CLUB; (Front Row): A. Uy, D. Dies, T. Stiller, D. Wong, D. Pohle. (Second Row): T. VanHaten, K. Fulmer, S. Lueptow, J. Sisler, C. Chima, J. Tuhela. (Third Row): S. Tapper, G. Bain, C. Culler, M. Kesti, D. Kormushoff, F. Boshara. This club met Tuesdays and Thursdays. They worked on mechanical drawing and other industrial arts under the guidance of Mr. McKeever.

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1. JUNIOR IOE (Intensive Office Experience); (Front Row): D. Allen, T. Treece. (Second Row): Mrs. Adamson—Advisor, P. Wanless, D. Day, L. Leblanc, E. Fassnacht, S. Guillmette. Typing, taking dictation, shorthand, and copying were only part of the IOE girls' daily curriculum. Most of the girls planned to continue in the Senior IOE program. Many foresaw some type of future secretarial work after graduation. They had bake sales at the close of the year to pay their expenses for a recognition banquet. The only requirement for the program was a limited typing background.

2. SENIOR IOE (Intensive Office Experience); (Front Row): L. Clark, D. Tuhela, S. Armstrong, M. Flohr. (Second Row): R. Conner, K. Hirsch, N. Roberts, Mrs. S. Gertz—Advisor, P. Giles, K. Mears, L. Pangle. These girls spent four periods a day learning office skills. All their equipment was new and modern. They worked on shorthand, dictation, letter writing and speed skills. They often did work for Firestone teachers and students. Most of the girls hoped to find some type of secretarial work in the future. Towards the end of the year they had bake sales to help pay for their banquet.

1. FRENCH CLUB; (Front Row): N. Poleondakis—Treas., L. Menassa—Pres., S. Harmatta—V. Pres., B. Burnham—Sec. (Second Row): L. Schultz, C. Murphy, P. Owen, J. Drexler. (Third Row): G. Guillod, L. Mills, L. Yassine, K. Dobbins, Mrs. M. Pringle—Advisor. French Club was a group of students interested in French language and culture. The club sponsored a French dinner. Many club members went to see mimist Marcel Marceau. They frequented French restaurants and joined in the language fair at Chapel Hill Mall. Members also designed the French showcase in the commons.

2. SPANISH CLUB; D. Weintraub—V. Pres., C. Black—Sec., K. Chapman, M. Schneidermann. Not Pictured: P. Nicolino—Pres., Mr. Hanlon—Advisor. Spanish Club members went to see a Spanish dancer, participated in an international dinner, and designed the Spanish displays in the commons.

3. FRENCH PRESENTERS; (Front Row): K. Gowland, F. Gordon, B. Burnham. (Second Row): J. Focht, P. Miller, K. Griebling, D. Riew. These people presented a French demonstration for the Akron Board of Education which included the summary of a French story, a poem recitation, and discussion.

1. ATHLETIC SECRETARIES; (Front Row): D. Harpley—Mr. Whitney, Athletic Director, L. Guran—All Sports, L. Ervin—Tennis, B. Burnham—Soccer, D. Tuhela—Swimming, K. Eckard—Swimming, Track. (Second Row): L. Yassine—Basketball, Track, S. Gibson—Basketball, N. Poleondakis—Wrestling, Track, Jane Wykoff—Track, G. Guillod—Soccer, K. Kozesky—Tennis. The secretaries aided the coaches with scoring and timing.

2. SENIOR COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN; F. Gordon—Commencement, D. Oster—Gifts, J. Harig—Play, L. Menassa—Announcements, L. Mills—Banquet, N. Poleondakis—Activities. These chairmen were chosen by the executive board and teacher advisors. They organized meetings, planned details and encouraged other committee members to work. Each committee also had a class officer to relay ideas to the executive board, which consisted of the class officers, Mr. Blake, Miss Lerch, and parents, Mrs. Burnham and Mrs. Allread. The board then voted on proposed plans and made all final decisions. Not Pictured: K. Bird—Baccalaureate, R. Jackson—Prom, S. Awadalla—Projects, T. Harbert—Picnic, D. Harpley—Caps and gowns.

1. PA ANNOUNCERS; (Seated): J. Harig, R. Schapp, J. Hayes. (Standing): D. New, Mr. Myers—Advisor, L. Rose. Each morning these people gave the announcements for the day. They tried to add a bit of humor to the daily routine. They were chosen by Mr. Myers for their ability at the end of last year.

2. STAGE CREW; (Front Row): S. Stein, K. Liley, G. Bascilli. (Second Row): J. Ramsey, F. Etheridge, M. Swan, J. Shaver, B. Tyulty, T. Seese-Head, P. Alcorn. The Stage Crew worked the lights for all of Firestone's productions. They worked behind the scenes, pulling curtains, working the sound equipment, and changing scenery.

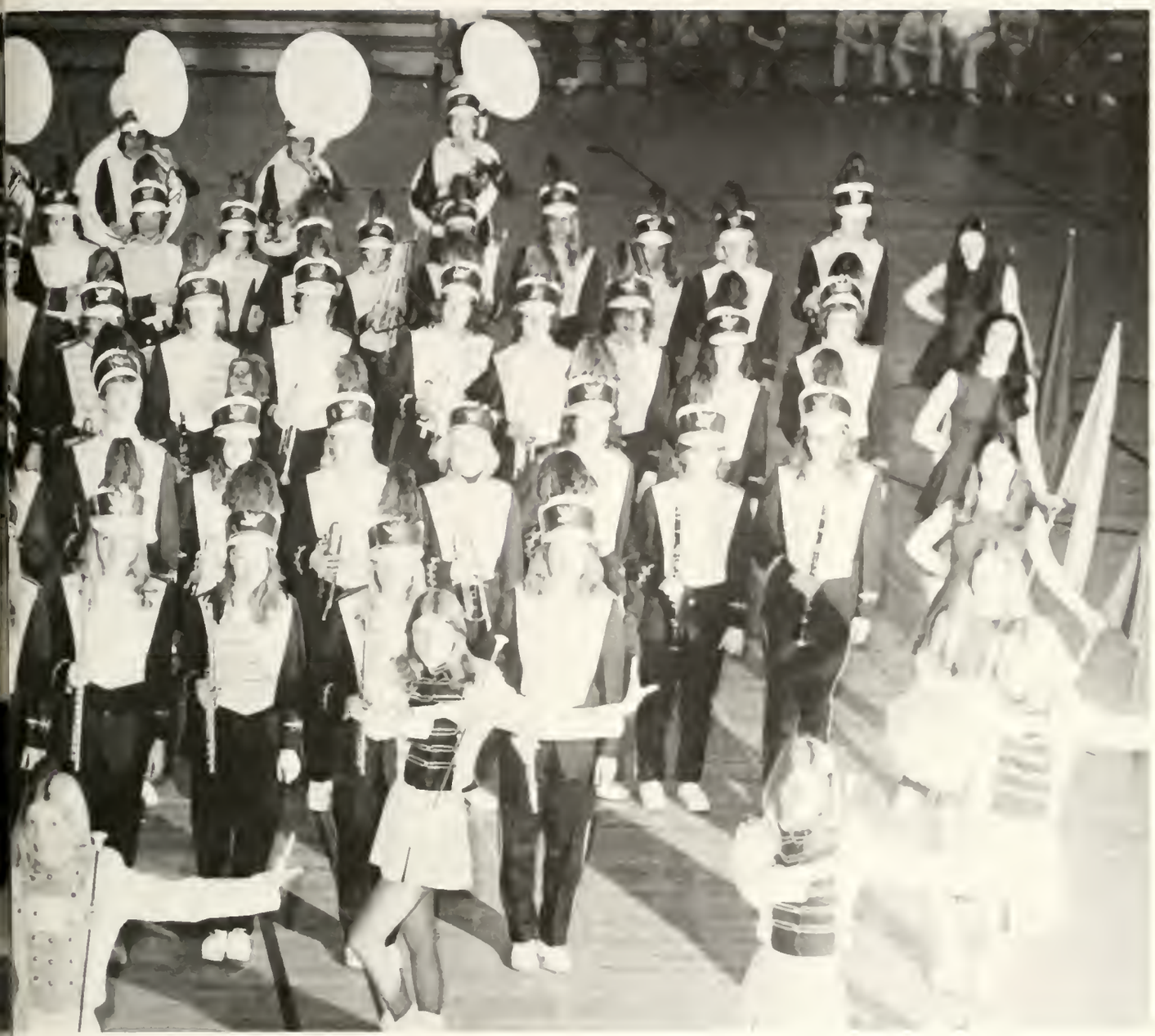
3. AUDIO VISUAL CREW; (Front Row): D. Archey, Mr. Love—Advisor, J. Hayes, M. Vanderveen. (Second Row): M. Lestingi, S. Collins, N. Mirman. (Third Row): E. Larotropolis, S. Lux, T. Jones, G. Manes, P. Harmata, R. Mirman, M. Leshin, B. Miller. These boys aided Mr. Love in the distribution and running of the audio-visual equipment. During the school day, they helped run the projectors and fixed them if there were any mechanical failures. The boys worked during their free periods to meet the demands of the teachers. The boys were chosen by Mr. Love at the beginning of the year.

1. PEER ADVISORS; (Front Row): L. Shuster, J. Brown, A. Jamieson, L. Guran. (Back Row): S. Brownfield, A. Gemmell, T. Harbert, S. Bymakos, Miss Lerch—Advisor. Peer advisors were a selected organization created to aid the incoming sophomores. They talked to the sophomores at orientation in August and then helped them through the start of the year and at the change of semesters. They told the sophomores about events and activities happening around the school, pushed the sophomores to buy tickets to the games, and encouraged them to go to dances and join clubs. Most of their work was in the summer when they conducted tours of the school and explained to the sophomores all of the rules and policies under which they would fall during the year.

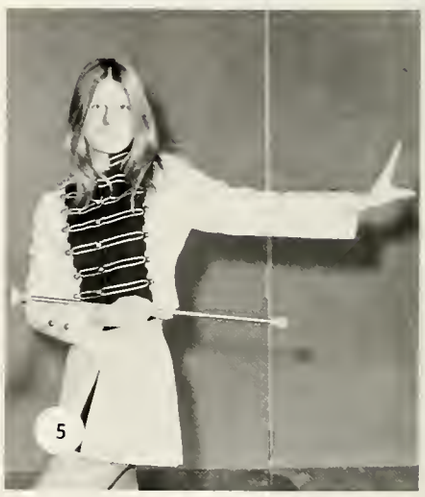
2. SERVICE CLUB; (Front Row): J. Brown, Mrs. Barbieri—Advisor, G. Merkle. (Back Row): J. Harig, N. Mirman, M. Leshin, S. Brownfield, M. Ballard. Service Club is a club engineered to provide services to the community and the school. They kept records of volunteer openings around the area for students. They also sponsored two concerts this year, with the money going to Project Hope and Project Shoes.

3. LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER CLUB: (Front Row): J. Harig—Pres., L. Hieble. (Second Row): R. Hieble, D. Brasaemle, M. Griebling, (Third Row): J. Helminski, P. Chen, K. Brasaemle, K. Griebling. (Fourth Row): M. Wiskind, M. Prosperi, Sister Babeaux—Advisor. This club met monthly, but most of their work was done during the day. They helped check out and shelve books.

1. MARCHING BAND; (Front Row): Majorettes; D. Walls, L. King—Capt., K. Underwood. (Second Row): J. Lyle, S. Davis, S. Barnett, J. Conley. (Third Row): L. Ludwig, L. Levin, K. Coberly, A. Dickson, P. McKinstry, S. Bailey, D. Guran, J. Lund. (Fourth Row): P. Thomen, C. Clark, N. Gresham, D. Harrier, M. Kemp, G. Bascilli, S. Gipson, S. Starn, J. Murphy, J. Davis, D. Roth, D. Williams, D. Patterson. (Fifth Row): R. Crawford, M. Eyler, T. Mitchell, T. Steele, J. Hall, R. Kiehl, L. Ludwig, P. Norton, P. Allcorn, J. Freitag, M. Rinaldo, S. Neely, C. Scarlet, A. Roth, D. Harrell, S. Leptow, M. Webb, L. Wiskind. (Sixth Row): K. Bird, M. Wortham, T. Worstall, J. Siedenstrang, J. Cruder, C. Lipari, T. Smith, B. Williams, E. Cooper, M. Bass, T. Sholl, M. Orshak, K. Brasaemle, D. Allen, S. Hatch, K. Adamson, L. Eddy, K. Karr, D. Hartline. (Seventh Row): G. Pate, K. Landess, J. Harig, M. Lestingi, M. Leshin, R. Allison, J. Reese. The Firestone Marching Band performed under the direction of Mr. Lentine. Their work began at the end of last year recruiting and practicing drills. During the summer band members went to band camp where they practiced their music and marching routines. They raised money to buy the necessary equipment for this year by selling different items throughout the year which included plastic lights. The games and pep assemblies were boosted by the band members enthusiam and great music. They were known for their famous formations, such as the cat and the horse, which added color to the games.



Marching Band (con't): The marching band spent many hours perfecting their formations, and the practice paid off at the many programs the band participated in. During the summer, the band marched in the Soap Box Derby Parade and in the Welcoming Band for the Derby. The marching band led the entire Sesquicentennial Parade on the Fourth of July. The Firestone Marching Band also marched at Cedar Point, and afterward the band members enjoyed the amusement park. The band, during the school year, was busy with the regular halftime routines and also some new events. They participated in the first Cuyahoga Falls Band Show along with other area marching bands. They tried to create a unified sound when they performed, but much of that unification took hard work on the part of the band members. They practiced in small groups to perfect each section and hopefully each instrumentation. They performed many routines at their shows, but the many marching routines were changed constantly, and new ones were often developed by the band members. The band played several favorites at the football games and pep assemblies that included "Rampart Street," "The Horse," and "Mighty Falcons." Mr. Lentine and the band officers worked very hard to unify and economically boost the band. The marching band hoped that the sound produced at their shows would represent Firestone well. The many hours, both day and night, spent working on pieces were beneficial to both the performers and listeners.



1. FIRESTONE'S MARCHING BAND MAJORETTES; (Front Row): D. Walls, L. King—Capt., K. Underwood. (Second Row): J. Lisle, S. Davies, S. Barnett, J. Conley. These girls were the main attraction of Firestone's Marching Band. They twirled their batons at every football game inspite of rain, snow, or sleet. They were chosen last year, and they practiced during their summer vacation to be ready for the football season. Debbie Walls, Karen Underwood, and Capt. Laura King were veteran majorettes. They could not try out unless they had marched with the band.

2. LAURA KING; Laura was the captain of the Firestone Majorettes. She was chosen by Mr. Lentine at the end of last year. She planned routines and taught the others new twirls.

3. DEBBIE WALLS; Debbie was a majorette in her junior year as well as her senior. She helped teach the new majorettes the routines.

4. SUE BARNETT; Sue became a majorette in her senior year. She was a member of the band in tenth, eleventh, and twelfth grades.

5. KAREN UNDERWOOD; Karen twirled with the majorettes in her junior and senior years. She helped the girls who were trying out.

1. FLAG GIRLS; K. Anderson, W. Osborne, K. Crawford, V. Botz—Co. Head, N. McDonald—Head, S. Neff, M. Minter, E. Economou. These girls were part of the Marching Band and entertained the crowd with their flag routines. They were chosen by Mr. Lentine and were led by Nancy McDonald. They practiced after school to synchronize their routines. The girls performed in the Band Blast and in many of the pep assemblies. They were chosen the year before and practiced during the summer. Many of the girls went on to become majorettes in the following years.

2. CHOIR OFFICERS; (Front Row): S. Winland—Sec., M. Muphy—Librarian. (Second Row): N. Poleondakis—Treas., L. Shuster—Librarian. (Third Row): D. New—V. Pres., R. Jackson—Sec. (Fourth Row): G. Norval—Pres. The officers worked during choir to help Mr. Thomas and planned activites.

3. BAND OFFICERS; (Front Row): L. King—Head Majorette. (Second Row): K. Bird—V. Pres., J. Lund—Sec., N. McDonald—Head Flag. (Third Row): P. McKinstry—Treas., P. Norton—Pres., M. Kemp—Uniform Officer, M. Lestingi—Uniform Officer. The officers assisted Mr. Lentine and planned activities.

1. STAGE BAND; (Front Row): J. Hall, R. Kiehl, M. Slaughter, T. Mitchell, M. Andreff, G. Pate. (Second Row): T. Hathaway, B. Williams, S. Starn, M. Kemp, L. Ludwig, Mr. Lentine—Director. (Third Row): D. Harrell, M. Renaldo, C. Vollmers, S. Lueptow. The Stage Band practiced everyday ninth period to perform all over Akron. They played at the Silver Lake Country Club and other clubs around the city. They played for assemblies and other school activities. The band was directed by Mr. Lentine, who hand-picked the members for their ability and skill. They played dance music, jazz, and rock tunes. Their program consisted of various types of numbers that featured the various instruments.

2. ORCHESTRA; (Front Row): D. Chen, S. Levin, F. Jackman, S. Davies, A. Jamieson, L. Davis, K. Anderson, L. New. (Second Row): M. Rosenthal, C. Yelin, K. Jones, L. Ludwig, J. Lund, P. McKinstry, J. Zimmerman, J. Siedenstrang, M. Slaughter, M. Webb. (Third Row): D. Harrell, M. Renaldo, N. Gresham, C Clark, J. Freitag, S. Starn. (Fourth Row): L. Wiskind, M. Lentine—Director, M. Bass, A. Uy, M. Andreeff, M. Zetzer. The Orchestra was under the direction of Mr. Lentine. They performed for the State Orchestra Contest, the Christmas Concert, and for the musical production at school. The Orchestra was selected by Mr. Lentine for their ability. They showed much of the musical talent of Firestone.

1. SYMPHONIC BAND: (Front Row): R. Kiehl, J. Siedenstrang, J. Zimmerman, L. Ludwig, J. Lund, P. McKinstry, L. Eddy, L. Wiskind, P. Thomen, J. Lyle. (Second Row): S. Neily, J. Ferrise, N. Graham, C. Clark, D. Harrier, M. Slaughter, M. Eyler, T. Mitchell, D. Knoll, M. Webb. (Third Row): K. Bird, D. Wortham, K. Crawford, J. Godard, J. Murphy, D. Harrell, S. Lueptow, M. Rinaldo, M. Armstrong, S. Starn, M. Kemp, L. Ludwig. (Fourth Row): P. Snow, A. Uy, B. Friedman, B. Schwartz, B. Williams, J. Reese, M. Leshian, Mr. Lentine—Director. This was the selected band that competed in most of the contests. They performed in the Battle of the Bands last fall as well as in other contests.

2. CONCERT BAND; (Front Row): S. Davies, K. Underwood, B. Pfahl, K. Karr, L. Levin, K. Adamson, K. Anderson, M. Lestingi, R. Crawford. (Second Row): N. McDonald, S. Neff, V. Botz, L. King, D. Guran, S. Winland, J. Thompson, C. Thompson, S. Gipson, J. Hall. (Third Row): D. Duran, D. Hartline, J. Freitag, J. Harig, K. Landness, B. Allison. (Fourth Row): D. Allen, Mr. Lentine—Director, J. Conley. (Fifth Row): T. Smith, E. Cooper, A. Orshak, M. Bass, C. Lipari. The Concert Band played for fun. Many of the members also marched in the band. This band entertained at the Band Blast and performed a wide variety of music.

1. MADRIGALS; (Front Row): B. Burnham, G. Fiocca. (Second Row): K. Techau, K. Wagner, T. Jones. (Third Row): S. Williams, D. Burnham, N. Poleondakis, J. Gilliam, B. Gillman. (Fourth Row): G. Norval, S. Winland, K. Linden, G. Reese. Madrigals was a select group of choir members that sang for many organizations in Akron. At the District Contest they earned a superior rating, an honor earned by countless hours of practice. Under the direction of Mr. Arnold Thomas, the Madrigals sang at Commencement. Some of the members travelled to Europe this summer with the Madrigals from Kenmore High School.

2. GREEN AND GOLDIGGERS; (Front Row): C. Reynolds, S. Bly, B. Gillman. (Second Row): D. Landis, M. Flickinger. (Third Row): S. Bertolio, R. Jackson, J. McMellon. The Green and Goldiggers, a select group of dancers under the direction of leader Robin Jackson, were chosen as sophomores so that they would have an entire year of practice before they performed this year. Planning their own routines, the girls featured songs by the Carpenters, Fifth Dimension, and the professional Goldiggers.

1. SOPHOMORE ENSEMBLE; (First Row): R. Kelly, K. Emerson, M. Griebling, L. Kanakarides, J. Reynolds, V. Whitecotton, F. Dannemiller, J. Hunter. (Second Row): M. Schneiderman, D. Weintraub, B. Bloch, R. Mirman, B. Miller, W. Ballard, J. Ferrise. The Sophomore Ensemble was selected by Mr. Thomas. Their primary function was to sing at state solo and ensemble contests.

2. SENIOR MEN'S BARBERSHOP QUARTET; G. Reese, K. Linden, G. Norval, J. Mraz. These four seniors combined their voices to produce one of Firestone's finest sounds. Gary sang tenor, Keith second tenor, Greg baritone, and Jeff bass. They won the area high school barbershop quartet contest sponsored by the Society of Preservation and Encouragement of Barbershop Quartet Singing in America. They later performed for this society's convention at the Civic Theatre. They sang at the Senior Class Banquet as well as at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Langmoor Country Club, the Masonic Temple, and for other area groups. Mr. Thomas directed the quartet and helped them work out routines to liven up their songs.

1. A CAPELLA CHOIR; (Front Row): L. Knauer, S. Winland, L. Sarkis, R. Schapp, K. Resnak, J. Ellis, D. Wiener, J. Glassner, T. Hathaway, J. Ferrise, K. Phillips, T. Harbert, T. Jones, J. Conger, M. Murphy, C. Reynolds, M. Schneier, L. Guran, K. Bly, L. Jones. (Second Row): L. Ervin, L. Ayoup, D. Burnham, S. Meyn, D. Richmond, F. Gordon, S. Averall, B. Tyulty, K. Dorsey, M. Guarnieri, J. Mraz, M. Kiehl, D. Saul, B. Ireland, K. Wagner, R. Garner, S. Roman, S. Kaufman, B. Davis. (Third Row): M. Billman, S. Barnett, L. Logan, B. Burnham, D. Harpley, A. Webb, G. Bain, G. Fiocca, J. Harig, D. Bartoo, D. Stahl, C. Kay, J. Owens, L. Evans, P. Miller, L. Allison, R. Jackson, D. Landis. (Fourth Row): M. Flickinger, B. James, L. Wilson, S. Williams. (Continued on next page)

2. INTERMEDIATE CHOIR; (Front Row): C. Hunt, M. Shriver, D. Rosenstock, K. Emerson, M. Schneiderman, D. Weintraub, B. Block, D. Pake, M. Kesti. (Second Row): A. Conner, L. Ferber, L. Ellis, C. Bishop, D. Abel, C. Bondurant, R. Mirman, R. Mecos, L. McDonald, J. Reynolds, K. Manos. (Third Row): K. Moore, C. McCormick, W. Osborne, R. Pfleuger, K. Kelly, M. Griebling, B. Miller, D. Green, J. James, C. Lever, L. Kanakarides, M. Falb, (Fourth Row): L. Snaith, S. Ameling, K. Hecker, T. Leib, J. Doelling, V. Whitecotten, C. Burns, M. Stimson, A. Licause, J. Garman, S. Levin, J. Vukovich. (Fifth Row): J. Bernstein, B. Nurches, J. Hunter, A. Leibold, S. Stutler, P. Sandrene, M. Myers, K. Treml, N. Robinson, S. Manos.

1. A CAPELLA CHOIR; (con't): P. Williams, B. Gillman, D. Rittenaur, K. Linden, G. Reese, D. New, G. Norval, M. Mitten, J. Gilliam, J. Focht, M. McDonald, J. Brown, L. Ferber, L. Shuster, N. Poleondakis, S. Stutler, K. Techau. The A Cappella Choir was a select choir composed of junior and senior students. They competed in many contests throughout the city against other area high schools. They also performed in a winter concert singing seasonal music in December. The A Capella Choir, during the holiday season, sang at the Kiwanis Club and at the Summit Mall. They sang at The Choir in the Rounds at Garfield High School along with other schools in Akron area. The A Capella Choir sang a variety of music. With their superior ratings at the contests and their civic performances, the A Capella Choir represented Firestone well.

2. GIRLS ENSEMBLE; (Front Row); M. Flohr, K. Eckard, L. Huston, K. Crano, L. Sarkis, S. Winland, S. Glueck, A. Dorfner,P. Levinson. (Second Row): F. Curley, L. Schneir, M. Zetzer, S. Bly, M. Peca, K. Laman, J. Kirschner, C. Reynolds, S. Bertoglio, K. Bly. (Third Row): L. Logan, A. Reed, J. McMellon, C. Carlos, M. Starkey, J. Ewart, E. Economou, K. Pels. (Fourth Row): S. Williams, V. Gelin, M. Gerke, J. Guran, M. Mundy, S. Rakin, J. Tolley, S. Kaufman, D. Landis, L. Reyman. The Girls Ensemble practiced every morning first period with their director, Mr. Thomas. They sang for the Pop's Concert, for the winter concert, and for the school assemblies. They combined with the girls from the A Capella Choir to sing the contests held at Wadsworth High School. These girls worked hard and sang well.

1. GUARDS; (Front Row): L. Ludwig—Sec.-Treas., L. Williams, L. Clark, D. Mullen, L. Levin, L. Wathen. (Second Row): D. Wagner—Pres., L. Orth, J. Manos, A. Webb, D. Harpley. (Third Row): M. Wathen—V. Pres., S. Shaw, M. Mundy, M. Dillon, J. Wykoff, M. Shriver, J. Reynolds. (Fourth Row): S. Manos, W. Osborne, F. Curley, M. Gomberg, N. Akers, L. Yassine. (Fifth Row): D. Allen, N. O'Neil, S. Stutler, P. Walter. (Sixth Row): E. Spetrino, M. Mann, M. Albrecht. (Against The Wall): K. Bird, L. Wilson, B. Herrlinger, B. Lebold, L. Guran.

2. SKI CLUB; (Front Row): D. Berringer, M. McGinnis, D. Leisher, B. Lebold, E. Economou, A. Dorfner. (Second Row): L. Williams, B. Pfahl, C. Boyer, K. Jones, K. Krano. The Firestone Ski Club merged with the Litchfield Ski Club to make possible frequent trips to Boston Mills Ski Area. The program was initiated by Mrs. Bellowe and her son Mitch. Weather permitting, the Ski Club went to Boston Mills once a week for six weeks.

1. GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (GAA); (Front Row): D. Harbert, M. Lakatos, P. Trochio, C. Gibson, L. Smith, V. Kenney, S. Rogers. (Second Row): E. Owens, L. Hilton, L. Weber, L. Davis, R. Crawford, D. Galloway, P. Elmer, J. Hedler, M.Andreeff, D. Duran, S. Vogel. GAA was the association of all girls who participated in sports. The club also held parties and picnics. GAA helped to purchase awards and pay for the various activities. Mrs. Vicky Bodnar was the faculty advisor.

2. BOOSTER CLUB; (Front Row): M. Flohr—Second V. Pres., M. Flohr—First V. Pres., L. Guran—Pres., L. Clark—Treas., L. Wilson—Sec. (Second Row): P. Owen, L. Manassa, L. Velioff, L. Smith, D. Leisher, H. Schneier, J. Drexler, D. Guran, D. Ermatinger, N. Mandel, S. Glueck, C. Stewart, A. Dorfner, C. Schlossberg. (Third Row): S. Bymakos, J. Guran, B. Murphy, K. Murphy, B. Wong, S. Harmata, B. Herrlinger, A. Webb, L. Yassine, S. Gibson, D. Clark, N. Poleondakis, B. Burnham. The Booster Club was the club that actively supported all the sports' teams. Candy sales, bake sales, and membership drives helped to bring in money. The club also sponsored a slave auction which proved to be the biggest fund raiser.

1. CATALINA; The Catalina members were chosen in the late fall and spent months preparing and practicing. "Bubbling through Broadway" was the theme of the 1976 Catalina show. The cast was S. Rauckhorst—Pres., J. Kaipainen—Sec.-Treas., S. Shaw—Synchronize Chairman, D. Allen, K. Crawford, M. Gomberg, K. Fawcett, K. Wagner, B. Burnham, D. Harpley, S. Barnett, M. Fair, K. Jones, C. Wagner, L. Clark, A. Jamieson, L. Pangle, G. Bauman, M. Mundy, L. Orth, K. Crano, L. Wathen, B. Pfahl, F. Dannemiller, S. Stutler, N. O'Neil, N. Ross, L. Leslie, R. Pflueger, C. Engum, G. Morris, R. Rickards, N. Horn, M. Albrecht, C. Reynolds, L. Voth, D. Landis, E. Spetrino, D. Dettling, M. Dillon, P. Walters, M. Mann, E. Colley. The show combined a series of Broadway musicals. The girls chose the pieces, planned the routines, choreographed the numbers, and made their costumes.

2. "CANTERBURY TALES;" S. Barnett, N. Horn, E. Spetrino, K. Wagner, M. McGinnis, G. Morris, K. Jones, S. Stutler. These club members performed Chaucer's tale of a pilgrimage to the Holy City.

3. SWIM TEAM NUMBER; M. Mitten, B. Heidish, T. Laraway. The boys' swim team performed their own number and acted as the technical managers to the whole show.

1. DIVING TEAM; The Diving Team of C. Yehnert and J. Hewes dazzled the audience with their thrilling feats. Double turns, back flips, and somersaults were only part of their presentation. They used a "Greek" theme complete with Greek music. The diving show has become a Catalina tradition and show highlight.

2. "SPIRIT OF '76;" M. Gomberg, K. Fawcett, K. Wagner, K. Crawford, D. Allen. These girls kicked up their heels in the opening number of "Bubbling through Broadway."

3. "I'D DO ANYTHING FOR YOU DEAR;" J. Walters, M. Albrecht. Jim and Monica synchronized their duet to the popular tune of the movie "Oliver."

4. "SINGING IN THE RAIN;" B. Burnham, M. Albrecht, D. Harpley, M. Mann, A. Jamieson, S. Barnett, K. Wagner, L. Clark. These girls entertained the audience with their version of the old favorite, "Singing in the Rain."

5. CLUB OFFICERS; L. Voth, E. Colley, S. Shaw, J. Kaipainen. These members danced to the strains of "Wiz." This was perhaps one of the most unusual numbers with distinctive stroking and formations. Lydia Voth took the place of Sue Rauckhorst who was ill.

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1. ACADEMIC CHALLENGE TEAM; K. Brasaemle, T.R. Vetter—Capt., D. Chen. These students, along with alternates Dave Fish and Peter Chen, competed against Kirtland and Jefferson High Schools on May 16. The team swept the contest with 680 points, a near-record in the history of Academic Challenge. They were awarded math and science texts for their victory. The show was telecasted in mid-June.

2. There was a limited number of tickets available for the taping, and they were quickly taken. After the overwhelming victory, the crowd swarmed to congratulate the team members.

3. KARLA BRASAEMLE; Karla was especially strong in the physical sciences. Her quick reactions played an instrumental part in the team's victory.

4. T.R. VETTER; T.R. was captain of the team. If there were conflicting answers, he chose the final response. He planned to attend the U. of Michigan.

5. DAVID CHEN; David was the only underclassman. He answered many of the questions that pertained to current events and history.

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Gladiators of the gridiron perform well

Though the football team compiled a disappointing record this season, all of the team members played with dedication and courage. Each game was exciting and filled with chances. The team had more depth in personnel this year with twelve seniors and thirty-two juniors on the varsity squad. All of the players were enthused before each game, hoping for a City Series bid. The offense fought hard, displaying its strength in short, powerful bursts. The defense became known throughout the city as being quick, hard hitting, and aggressive. This year's coaching staff, headed by Mick Viland, gave up much of their time during the summer and fall months to make the football team function well as a unit.

The gridders receive last minute instructions from Coach Mick Viland.

Coach Mick Viland carefully observes the course of the game.

Coach Charles Marquess shouts words of encouragement to his players.

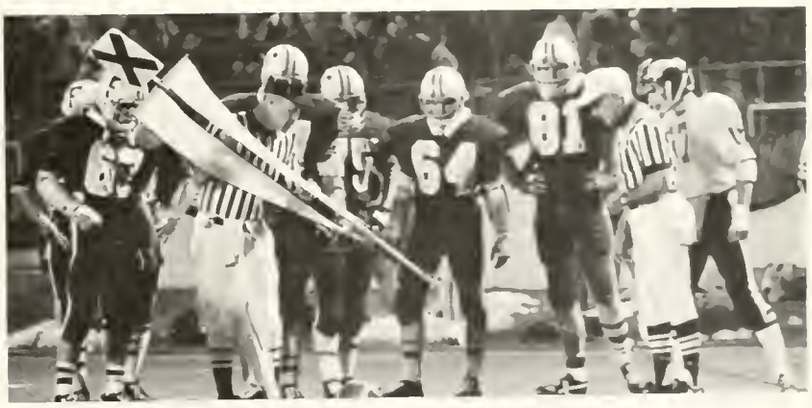
Football Team; (Front Row): B. Lewis, A. Levatter, B. Wroblewski, P. Allread, B. Zupke, D. Hecker, B. Williamson, M. Kiehl, K. Underwood. (Second Row): P. Snow, G. Pappas, J. Zimmerman, J. Poleondakis, J. Glassner, D. Wroblewski, B. Tunnicliffe, E. Isaiah, D. Isaiah. (Third Row): B. Ramnytz, M. Sarkis, C. Chima, W. Thurn, N. Adams, J. Ferrise, D. Renner, T. Sucher, J. Mullen. (Fourth Row): K. Dobbins, B. Maroney, B. Moore, F. Peck, B. Knowles, G. Treadgold, C. Coans. (Fifth Row): T. Laman, D. Merrow, B. Cook, J. Jones, B. Gingras, T. Barracato, J. Hathaway. (Sixth Row): J. McKenzie, J. Goddard, J. Tuhela, F. Robinson, J. Thompson, S. Andrews, D. Crew, T. Gill. (Seventh Row): D. Fish, F. Williamson, G. Harkey, D. Ayoup, C. Thompson, D. Arnold, T. Zupke, M. Bezbatchenko. (Eight Row): R. Gowland, K. Potrock, M. Bezbatchenko, B. Barracato, J. Grimsley, F. Jackman, B. Taylor. Not Pictured: T. Strickler, J. Flohr.

Spirit of '76 shown in action

Captain Bruce Williamson and Captain Joe Flohr await the coin toss.

Bob Lewis is dragged down after earning tough yardage.

Senior Bob Wroblewski keeps the ball to himself.

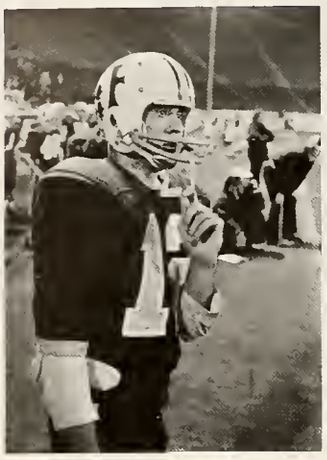


Captains Mike Kiehl and Bruce Williamson wait for the referees' decision.

Captain Bruce Williamson tries to block the opponent's field goal attempt.

Seniors sport portraits of pride

Pete Allread



Joe Flohr

Don Hecker

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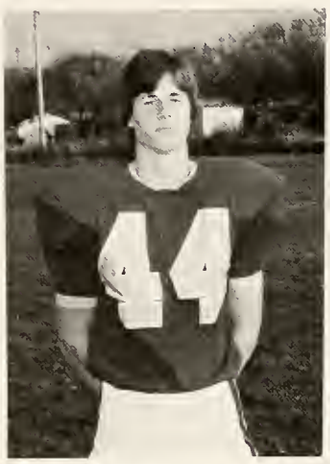

Bob Lewis

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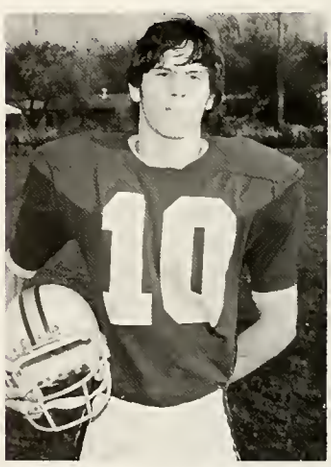


Bob Wroblewski

Bob Zupke

This year's seniors, although few in number, showed fine leadership qualities during the season. The tri-captains were Joe Flohr, Bruce Williamson, and Mike Kiehl. The seniors received many awards this year. Bruce Williamson made first team All-City, Honorable Mention to All-Summit, All-Northeastern Ohio, and All-District. Joe Flohr made second team All-City, and Mike Kiehl, Pete Allread, and Tim Strickler made All-City Honorable Mention.

Juniors are the hope for the future

Gary Harkey takes a breather before going to battle.

To gain yardage, junior Erroll Isaiah puts the move on a Buchtel defender.

Spotting the hole in the line, junior Bruce Moore runs for extra yards.

Underclassmen showed great potential which could lead to a winning season next year. Terry Laman, Bart Tunnicliffe, George Pappas, Ken Potrock, John Poleondakis, Jeff Zimmerman, Gary Harkey, and Bruce Moore started and played most of the season. Along with them, many other juniors played and lettered. Next year's team hopes to use the experience they gained this year to have a successful season.

Winning is a tradition with Cross Country

The Firestone Invitational Cross Country meet, which was held at the Goodyear field, was the largest meet sponsored by our school.

Mike Ameling

Craig Culler

Keith Fullmer

Charles Lee

Mike Lestingi

Jeff Morgan

Determined harrier team places second

Hammett's Harriers combined skill and talent for a second place title in the City Series meet this year. Losing only one meet during the season, the Harriers easily earned the right to be called one of the best teams in the city. Captain Jeff Morgan received a second place in the city meet. Charles Lee received a sixth, and Mike Lestingi placed eighth in the city.

Coach Hammett observes practice and prompts the team to work.

Captain Jeff Morgan was named the team's Most Valuable Runner.

Cross Country Team; B. Friedman, M. Lestingi, J. Morgan, G. Krone, S. Bierce, C. Krane, K. Fulmer, C. Lee, C. Culler, S. Averell, R. Bollinger, M. Ameling, S. Gould.

Falcons win City Series title

The 1975 soccer team started the season with a slogan which lasted throughout the year. The slogan was "Create a winner," and it led Bender's Booters to a City Series title. The season was exciting, eight wins and three defeats, but was marred by a disappointing loss to Buchtel. Buchtel won the contest on penalty kicks after four overtimes. Led by Captains Spiros Vasilatos and John Wiseman, the team finished with flying colors and brought pride to Firestone High School once more.

Dave Stahl, Neil DeVries, and Rick Spence attempt a steal.

Coach Waldemar Bender watches the soccer game from the sidelines.

Senior Neil Devries battles for possession of the soccer ball.

Don Church has a successful steal.

Soccer Team; (Front Row): M. Schaeffer, G. Malecky. (Second Row): D. Kormushoff, K. Robey, G. Balaj, B. Schwartz, B. Shecht, D. Church, K. Isherwood, R. Spence, K. Phillips, G. Rhoads. (Third Row): S. Stearns, P. Weygandt, J. Anderson, J. Wiseman, J. Transancos, S. Vasilatos, N. DeVries, M. Ballard, F. Boshara, Coach Bender. Not Pictured: T. Campbell, K. Sweeney, D. Stahl, G. Reese.

Coach Bender accepts the team's trophy.

Keith Sweeney kicks toward the net.

Awards for the soccer team went to many deserving players. First award went to Spiros Vasilatos for Most Valuable Player. John Wiseman and Jeff Anderson received the Outstanding Defense award. Outstanding Offense award went to Dave Stahl. Neil DeVries and Dave Stahl were awarded for being high scorers. Most Dedicated was presented to Don Church. Rick Spence was given the Most Improved Offensive Player and Miles Schaeffer the Most Improved Defensive Player.

Spiros Vasilatos and John Wiseman proudly display the City Series trophy.

Captain Spiros Vasilatos achieves an excellent steal.

As the captain looks on, Dave Stahl sets up.

Seniors Don Church and Ken Isherwood boldly fight for possession of the ball.

Veterans make their mark

Jeff Anderson

Mark Ballard

Don Church

Neil DeVries

Co-Captain Spiros Vasilatos

Co-Captain John Wiseman

With the help of the captains and their senior counterparts, the team finished another sucessful season. Quoting Spiros Vasilatos, "Good season, considering what we started out with." With each game, you could see the team improving. John Wiseman said, "I would like to thank all the fans that supported us. Without them the team could not have done it."

Ken Isherwood

Gary Reese

Jose Trasancos

Golf is a game for gentlemen.

Despite a slow start, the gold team played to a ten and ten record. Senior Dave Allen performed well and was backed by Tom Carroll and Jim Redmond. Showing much promise were; Cliff Cook, Dave Berzon, and Charlie Cook.

Dave Allen

Tom Carroll

Jim Redmond

Coach Nutter names Dave Allen as most valuable player.

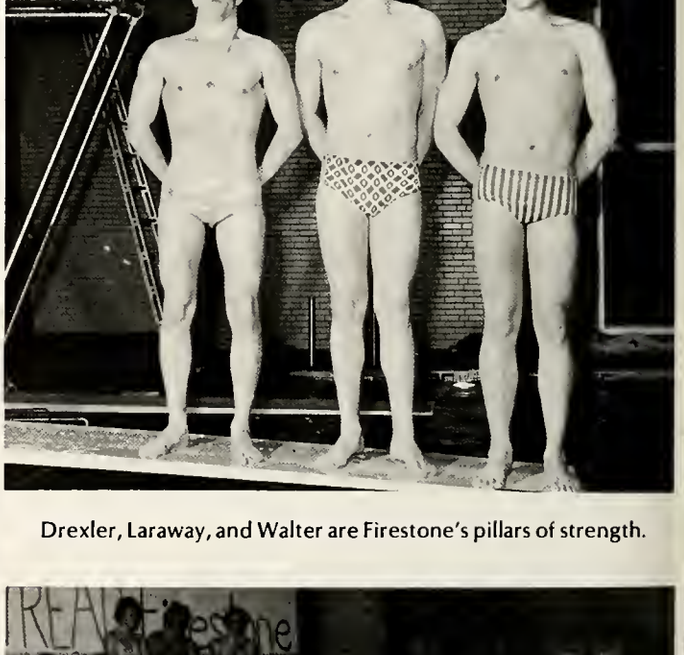
Golf Team; Jim Redmond, Tom Carroll, Cliff Cook, Dave Allen, Dave Berzon, and Charlie Cook.

Falcon swim team soars to state title

This year's swim team, headed by Pat McDonald, "Coach of the Year," had a rewarding season. The team splashed their way to finish eighth in the state and second in the district. Tom Laraway set a new record in the 100 freestyle, and Jim Walter demonstrated a faster way to swim the 200 and 500 freestyle. The dynamic relay team of Tom Laraway, Dan Finelli, Bob Drexler, and Jim Walter attracted everyone's attention with their lightning speed.

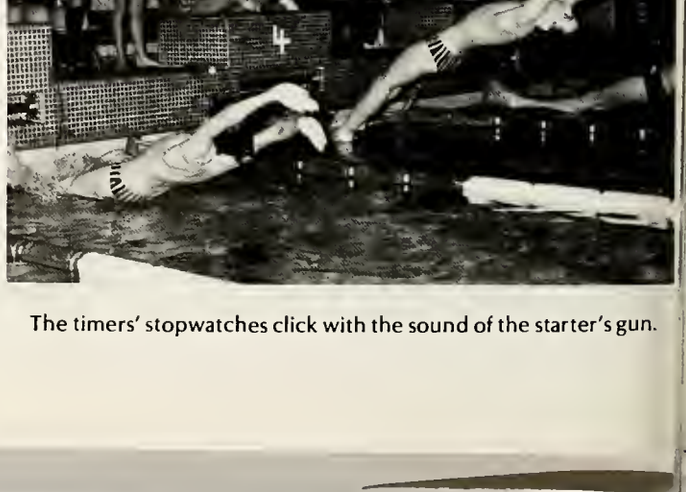
Senior Peter Tunnicliffe flutters with a ferocious flurry.

Ladies and gentlemen, introducing Pat McDonald, "Coach of the Year."



Drexler, Laraway, and Walter are Firestone's pillars of strength.

Drexler, Finelli, Laraway, and Walter boast of their new records.



The timers' stopwatches click with the sound of the starter's gun.

The dynamic diving division of the fabulous Falcon swim team is Cindy Yehnert, Dan Harrier, Steve Herrlinger, Dave Harrell, and Curt Yehnert.

Curt Yehnert spirals to earn a Kent State scholarship.

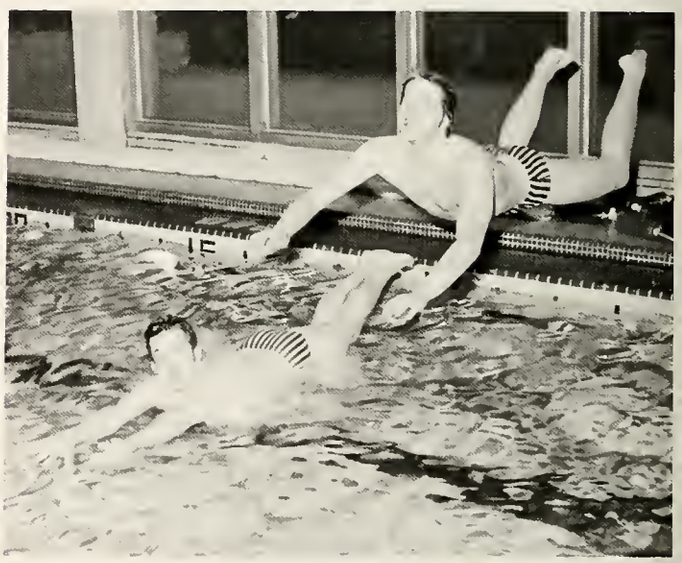
Swim Team; (Front Row): D. Barnett, J. Murphy, J. Walter, P. Tunnicliffe, W. Nischt, J. Alkire, D. Harrier, S. Herrlinger, C. Yehnert (Second Row): S. Schobert, F. Peck, K. Gapsch, B. Goldstein, M. Mitten, C. Deveny, B. Monaghan. (Third Row): M. Bezbatchenko, B. Hedish, K. McAlonan, T. Laraway, R. Wagner, T. Kozma, J. Thorpe, J. McKenzie, D. Renner, B. Drexler, S. Smith, D. Finelli (Fourth Row): K. Frease, J. Strong, D. Smith, G. Pate. Not Pictured: C. Yehnert, J. White, J. Davis, D. Harrell.

Veterans of the field make their mark

Bob Drexler and Ken Gapsch

Tom Laraway and Mark Mitten

Jeff Murphy and Scott Smith



Pete Tunnicliffe and Jim Walter

Manager John White

Cindy Yehnert and Curt Yehnert

Water polo spashes onward

The water polo team, captained by Tom Laraway, showed poise and determination throughout the season. Hurt by the injuries of Bill Heidish, Bob Drexler and Dave McCulley, the team still played to another exciting season. The team finished with a two and four record, but losses to Old Trail in overtime and another close match with Cuyahoga Falls showed fans that the team still had the winning spirit.

Dan Finelli tries to spot the offensive player in attempt to score.

Coach Pat McDonald talks over new strategy during a time out.

Bob Drexler attempts to retrieve the loose ball before the opponent does.

Water Polo Team; (Front Row): P. Tunnicliffe, K. Gapsch, J. Murphy, B. Drexler. (Second Row): M. Mitten, S. Smith, J. Alkire, D. Finelli, T. Laraway, G. Bain, W. Nischt, D. McCulley. (Third Row): G. Pate, C. Deveny, K. Frease, S. Schobert, D. Smith, K. McAlonan, B. Monaghan.

Jeff Murphy looks on with great enthusiasm

B-ball team proves great talent

Starting the year with high hopes, the basketball team finished with a creditable seven and ten record. The team kept the score close in most of the games. The biggest games of the year were against North and East High. These two games cost the Falcons a bid to the City Series playoffs. Led by Most Valuable Player and Leading Rebounder, Paul Heuerman, the roundballers provided the fans with another year of nailbiting games. Outstanding players were Paul Heuerman, first team All-City, and Ward Hollinger second team All-City, and Leading Scorer. Andy Duke received Best Defensive Player; Keith Dambrot, the "Mr. Hustle" Award; and Bill Fender, the Loyalty Award.

Coach Knight in his classic expression.

Coach Marshall says, "Win a few, lose a few."

Ward Hollinger and Paul Heuerman work together.

Keith Dambrot signals, Paul Heuerman sets up, and Andy Duke races for position.

Keith Dambrot forces an opponent to the floor in an attempted drive.

Coach Preston Knight discusses the game plan during a time-out.

Andy Duke

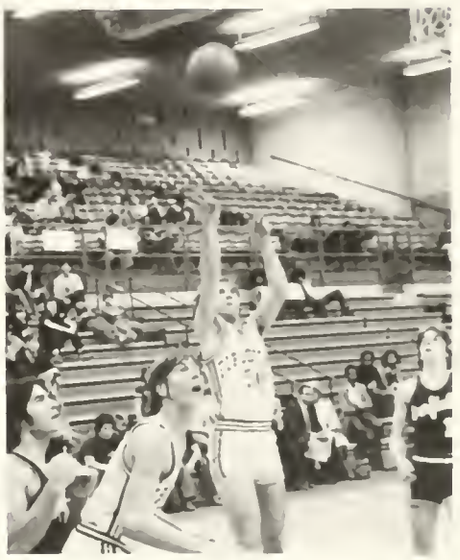
Bill Fender

Jeff Laria

Jon Shomo

Bill Fender tries to retain possession.

Ward Hollinger drives off Paul Heuerman.



Andy Duke pops from the outside to score.

Basketball Team; (Front Row): Larry Roth, Jon Shomo, Keith Dambrot, Jeff Laria, Manager-Trainer Tim Campbell. (Second Row): Head Coach Pres Knight, Bill Fender, Andy Duke, Paul Heuerman, Chris Morris, Ward Hollinger, Harvey Nelson.

Jon Shomo tips it in for the field goal.

Composed of all sophomores, with the exception of junior Bob Cook, the junior varsity team finished with a four and twelve season. The starting squad of Rick Arison, Jeff Malecky, Tom Bujorian, Bob Cook, and Pat Tillet did their best in City Series competition. Coach Dave Marshall offered the encouragement that the team needed. In the fans' opinions, the season was a definite success.

Pat Tillet attempts to make the crucial field goal.

Rick Arison has possession of the ball.

Jeff Malecky twists to make the shot.

Benny Duke's talent astounds his opponents.

Charlie Crane demostrates fingertip control.

J V Basketball Team; (Front Row): C. Davello, S. Bier, R. Arison, J. Malecky, C. Crane. (Second Row): R. Skidmore, B. Cook, T. Bujorian, T. Barracato, B. Duke, D. Brown, D. Pagel, P. Tillet.

Bob Cook hooks while Tom Bujorian looks on.

The 1976 wrestlers grit and grapple

Head Coach Ronald Laubaugh analyzes the situation during a match.

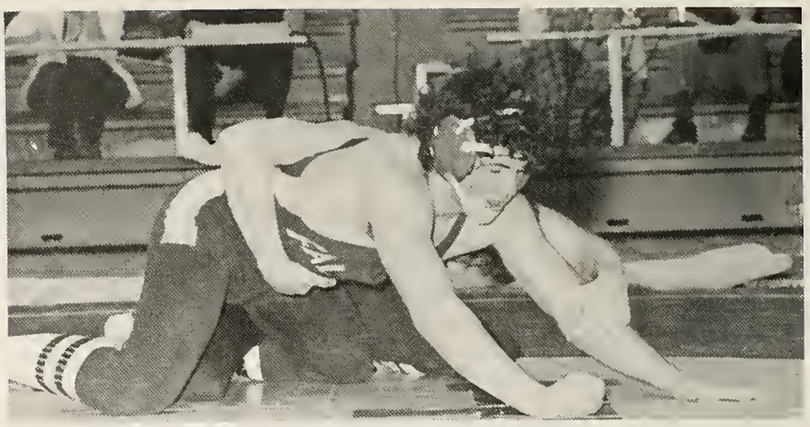
After executing his escape, Dave Dies assumes control.

This year's wrestling team, coached by Ronald Laubaugh, had to compete against themselves as well as their opponents. The grapplers had to struggle against injuries and sicknesses that plagued the team. These factors caused them to forfeit two or three weight classes at each meet with twelve to eighteen points against them. In spite of this, they still managed wins over Kenmore and Central-Hower, giving the team a two and six record in the City Series. Next year's team will have the experience and strength to take the city full force.

Jeff Glassner displays his strength and skill on the mat.

Captain Dave Dies demonstrates the proper way to apply a successful pin hold.

Steve Dies and Frank Robinson head for the showers.



Captain Mike Menyes rests for a few moments before the referee signals.

After the signal, Mike Menyes breaks his opponent's hold and scores two points.

Wrestling Team; (Front Row): D. Dies, J. Conley, J. Kesselring, M. Menyes. (Second Row): T. Laman, S. Dies, F. Robinson, J. Glassner, M. Seward, M. Skeans. (Third Row): E. Calhoun, D. Owens, L. Fox, T. Zupke.

Seniors of '76 show fine form

John Conley

Dave Dies

Jeff Kesselring

Mike Menyes

The four seniors on the 1975-76 wrestling team worked hard to propel their team to a two and six record. The captains were Jeff Kesselring, Mike Menyes, and Dave Dies. Dave Dies placed first in the city. He was followed by Mike Menyes, who placed second in the city.

Falcons are runners-up in City Series

The spirited 1975 baseball team finished with a runner-up position in the City Series. When the team seemed to be out of the race for the championship, they came back to show the true Falcon spirit. The Most Valuable Player Awards went to four seniors: Jon Shomo who was a clutch RBI hitter; Dan Kormushoff who led the team with the highest batting average, .395; Bill Fender who played fine defense along with batting .363; and Mark Kaiser whose excellent catching behind the plate played an important role in the comeback. Other awards were: Jeff Anderson, Loyalty Award; and Dan Kormushoff, Best Offensive.

Tim Campbell throws out his opponent.

Jeff Anderson shouts encouraging words.

In a cloud of dust, Dan Kormushoff tags an unsuccessful stealer.

Mark Kaiser shows the style that won him the team's MVP Award.

Coach Dave Marshall talks to his team in a pre-game meeting.

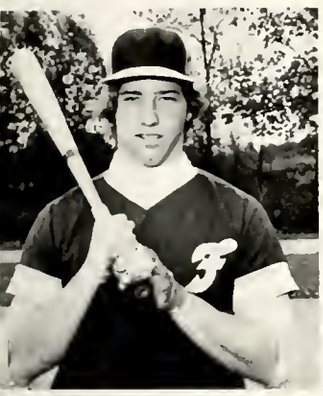
Keith Dambrot, also known as "Pig Pen," hustles back to first.

Jeff Anderson

Bill Cunningham

Bill Fender

Because of strength and determination shown by the seniors, the team had an excellent season. The seven seniors were: Jeff Anderson, Bill Cunningham, Bill Fender, Mark Kaiser, Dan Kormushoff, Jeff Mraz, and Jon Shomo. Quoted by Coach Marshall, "I sincerely believe this group of seniors was one of the most spirited we've ever had."



Mark Kaiser

Dan Kormushoff

Jeff Mraz

Jon Shomo

Baseball Team; (Front Row): M. Kaiser, B. Cunningham, B. Fender, D. Kormushoff, J. Shomo. (Second Row): C. Chima, B. Moore, K. Dambrot, R. Spence, T. Campbell, J. Anderson, P. Heuerman, J. Mraz. (Third Row): G. Pappas, B. Cook, D. Harrell, S. Weiner, J. Malecky, D. Brown, C. Davello, D. Kormushoff.

Perseverence is the key to Falcons' success

Dan Kormushoff receives the ball from the third baseman and attempts to tag the opponent.

George Pappas practices batting.

Mark Kaiser gives Jeff Malecky a little advice.

After a fine ground ball pick-up, Bill Fender dashes toward first where Jon Shomo is covering.

All looks well as Coach Dave Marshall and the fans enjoy the baseball game.

Jon Shomo throws his patented curve ball to home.

Netters are second best in the state

Mary Chapman

Mike Cope

Chris Harris

Chris Harris shows his finesse.

Brian Rosenthal

Kevin Tucker

Cris Wilcox

Coach Terry Sappenfield

Tennis Team; (Front Row): H. Freedman, M. Cope, B. Rosenthal, B. Littman, K. Kuzmishin, D. Neiman. (Second Row): M. Chapman, L. Konstan, C. Harris, C. Wilcox, D. Renner, K. Tucker, J. Kamenir, Mr. Sappenfield—Coach. Not Pictured: E. Raffel, C. Morris, B. Stout.

The 1976 Falcon tennis team was the best ever to come out of the school. The netters, led by Captain Cris Wilcox, compiled a twenty-seven and six record which included being City Series champions, and the State runner-up. Varsity consisted of Cris Wilcox, Lou Konstan, Kevin Tucker, Chris Harris, Mike Cope, Brian Rosenthal and Bob Littman. Cris was the class AAA sectional and district singles champion, while Kevin and Lou won the sectional and district doubles title. On the way to being the team state runner-up to Kettering Alter, the team avenged an earlier loss to rival Shaker Heights to win the district team championship.

Brian Rosenthal follows through.

Howard Freedman concentrates.

Kevin Tucker smashes an overhead for a winner.

Junior Bob Littman prepares to hit his volley in a practice.

Mike Cope bends low and watches that ball for a volley.

Sophomore David Renner completes a forehand.

Cris Wilcox steps into a forehand drive.

Lou Konstan's backhand volley is a sure winner.

Kevin Tucker follows through perfectly.

Mike Cope leaps into the air to smash an overhead for a putaway.

Cris Wilcox "digs one out of the dirt" on a forehand shot.

Coach Sappenfield and Mr. Whitney watch the team practice

Jumps, runs, vaults, and throws . . .

The 1976 track team, coached by Mr. Garnold Green and captained by Craig Culler, Jeff Morgan, and Charlie Lee, enjoyed a rewarding season. Jeff Morgan, Bruce Williamson, and Bob Zupke achieved recognition in the distance events, the shot put, and the pole vault respectively. In addition to many other outstanding seniors, the sophomore squad demonstrated potential for 1977 and '78.

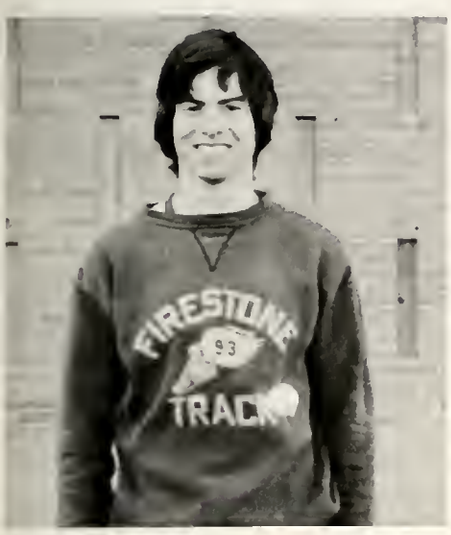
Coach Green follows his runners around the track.

Tim Zupke psychs himself for the vault.

Bruce Williamson puts his all into the throw.

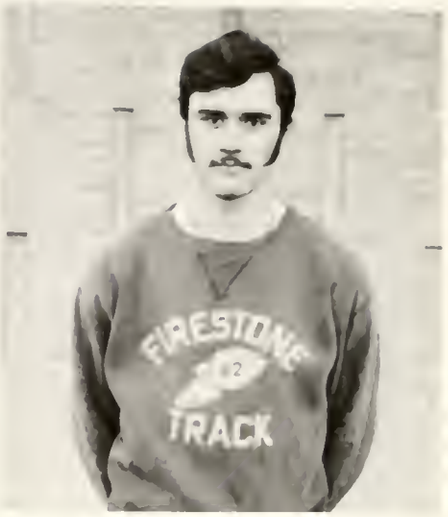
TRACK TEAM; (Front Row): J. Flohr, B. Zupke, B. Wroblewski, K. Fulmer, M. Ameling, C. Culler, C. Lee, J. Morgan, M. Lestingi, P. Snow, J. Focht, T. Stakleff. (Second Row): S. Luptow, S. Herrlinger, J. Zimmerman, D. Miller, D. Fish, C. Crane, B. Gingras, B. Friedman, M. Blumenthal, R. Gowland, J. Mullens, D. Knowles, W. Hollinger. (Third Row): D. Ashbrook, S. Stearns, M. Manson, D. Arnold, M. Schaeffer, T. Zupke, G. Lowdermilk, C. Conns, J. Bollinger, S. Averell, J. Thompson, J. Grimsley, P. Tillett, M. Schumacher.

that's what Falcon trackmen do



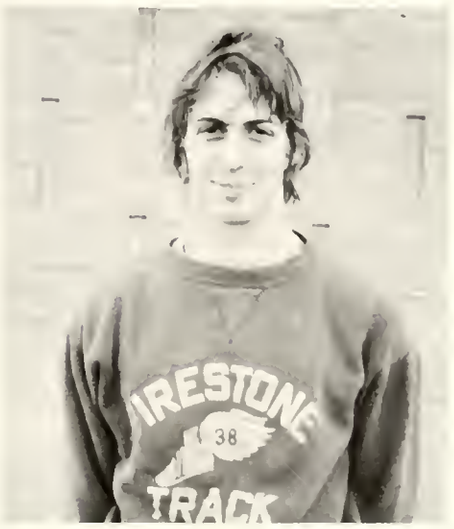
Mike Ameling

Craig Culler



Joe Flohr

Keith Fulmer

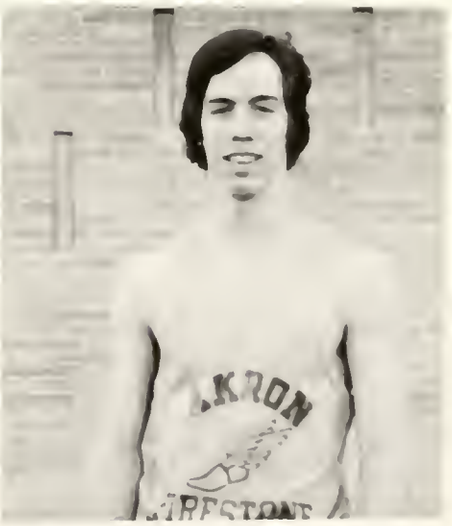


Charlie Lee

Mike Lestingi

Jeff Morgan

Tom Stakleff



Bob Zupke

In the city meet this year, John Poleondakis placed first in the discus, Charles Lee placed second in the mile, Bruce Williamson took second in the shot, Keith Fulmer placed second and Jeff Morgan placed third in the two mile run. Charles Lee scored the most points for the Falcons with John Poleondakis close behind. The team record was six and six.

Charles Lee begins his final kick and pulls away from the pack.

Dan Harrier takes one last breath before he begins his run.

1976 track captains: Jeff Morgan, Charles Lee and Craig Culler

Junior Ward Hollinger has high expectations for this throw!

Sophomore John Thompson and junior John Poleondakis measure a throw.

Sophomore Charles Crane breaks the tape for a first.

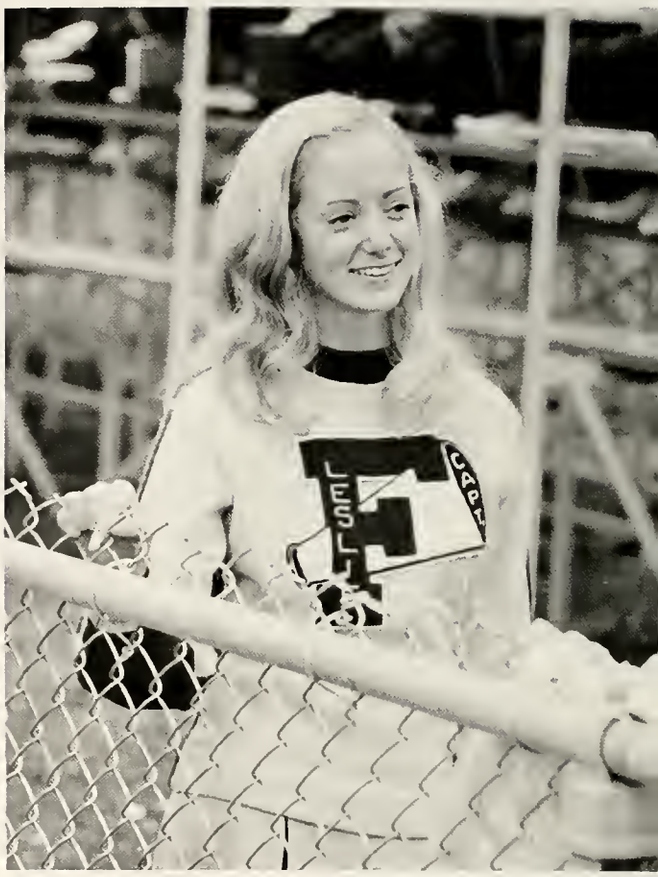
Senior Paul Snow exhibits fine form as he soars high above the sand pit.

Again Gary Harkey puts every ounce of strength into his throw.

Wendy Osborne carefully supervises the measurement being taken.

Cheerleaders inspire victory

Co – Captain Sally Shaw is ready for the Homecoming game to begin.



Captain Leslie Smith watches the band perform during halftime.

Debbie Burnham leads the junior battle cry during a pep assembly.

Lydia Voth gets into the spirit of things at an afternoon game.

Ginger Bennett cheers the football team on to victory.

Junior Shelly Bymakos proves that she is in tip-top condition.

Varsity cheerleaders sing the Alma Mater.

The Varsity Cheerleaders; (Front Row): Shelly Bymakos, Lydia Voth. (Second Row): Leslie Smith, Sally Shaw, Debbie Burnham. Not Pictured: Ginger Bennett.

The varsity cheerleading squad, consisting of Captain Leslie Smith, Sally Shaw, Lydia Voth, Shelly Bymakos, Ginger Bennett, and Debbie Burnham, were chosen in May of 1975. They devoted much of their summer working on new cheers and raising money to pay for new uniforms. On July 4, 1975, Ginger, Sally, Lydia, and Leslie rode on the Firestone High School float in the Akron Sesquicentennial Parade. Shelly and the JV cheerleaders carried the banner for the FHS band, which was the leading band.

Junior varsity but senior pep

The 1975 junior varsity cheerleaders were captained by Connie Stuart during the fall and Cathy Schlossberg during the winter. Other members were Donna Ermatinger, Leslie Ellis, Debbie Clark, and Lillian Stojic. The girls cheered at all the junior varsity sporting events. They also aided the varsity cheerleaders in money-making projects and in efforts to increase school spirit.

Lillian Stojic, Leslie Ellis, and Debbie Clark practice their cheers.

The JV football cheerleaders line up for the "Battlecry".

The JV basketball cheerleaders lead the cheers during halftime.

JV Cheerleaders; (Front Row): L. Ellis. (Second Row): C. Schlossberg, D. Clark, C. Burns, L. Stojic, C. Stewart. (Third Row): D. Ermatinger.

Girls volley and win

Led by Captain and Most Valuable Player Sue Rogers, the girls' volleyball team finished the 1975 season third in the city with a seven and three record. Other awards went to Chris Gibson, Most Spirited; Val Kenney, Most Improved; and Kris Kozesky, Best Rookie. The head coach was Tula Cosmoglos, and she was assisted by Diane Zupke.

Senior Captain Sue Rogers concentrates.

Senior Chris Gibson, Most Spirited

Senior Heidi Hineline gets ready to serve.

1975 Volleyball Team; (Front Row): C. Gibson, S. Rogers. (Second Row): H. Hineline, S. Herbert, D. Harbert, V. Kenney. (Third Row): J. Ewart, P. Elmer, K. Kozesky, S. Vogel, B. Herrlinger, J. Hedler, D. Galloway, Mrs. Cosmoglos.

Senior Val Kenney was voted Most Improved.

Together we can

Senior Chris Gibson prepares to dribble and drive for the basket.

Captain Heidi Hineline maintains possession of the basketball.

Girls' Basketball Team; (Front Row): P. Trocchio, C. Lever, E. Fassnacht, H. Hineline, V. Kenney, C. Gibson, S. Rogers. (Second Row): Mrs. Bodnar, D. Duran, L. Weber, A. Friedman, L. Davis, M. Andreeff, J. Hedler, S. Herbert, D. Harbert.

Sophomore Jessie Hedler attempts a pass.

The girls on the 1976 basketball team are together once again.

Val Kenney jumps to capture the rebound before her opponents.

Junior Diane Harbert concentrates while she penetrates the defense.

The girls' varsity basketball team finished the 1975 season with a six and six record. They practiced every morning from 6:30 until 8:00 and every Saturday afternoon from 1:00 to 5:00. The team displayed great unity but fell short of their playoff goal because they lost the draw. The girls were led by Captain Heidi Hineline and Coach Vicky Bodnar. The outstanding player awards went to Most Valuable Player, Chris Gibson; Most Spirited, Dawn Duran; Best Rookie, Jessie Hedler; Most Improved, Diane Harbert; and the Coach's Award, Heidi Hineline

Senior Sue Rogers dribbles past her opponent to gain two points.

Towering above her opponents, Meg Andreeff aims for two points.

Gymnasts tumble to triumph

At the Akron City Series Gymnastics' Meet, the team, coached by Mrs. Bodnar, finished second to Kenmore. Captain Leslie Smith won the city floor exercise title and was second on the balance beam. Leslie also qualified for OHSAA District Competition in advanced level balance beam. Sophomore Connie Stewart was third in the city on bars and floor exercise. Junior Nancy Horn took second place on bars. The awards went to Connie Stewart, Best Rookie and an All-Around award; Sue Ameling, Most Improved; Nancy Horn, Falcon Hustler award; and Leslie Smith, the Outstanding Gymnast award.

Senior Captain Leslie Smith shows her agility on the balance beam.

Jessie Hedler, Linda Bernath, Sue Ameling, Diane Berus

Sophomore Connie Stewart displays floor exercise ability.

Gymnastics Team; (Front Row): H. Schneier, L. Reymann, C. Schlossberg, L. Ellis. (Second Row): M. Starkey, S. Hamed, D. Foreman, D. Berus, K. Albright. (Third Row): C. Allread, L. Smith, J. Hedler. (Fourth Row): N. Horn, S. Ameling, C. Stewart.

Track women make great strides

Sue Rogers needs suspenders for this event.

Lynn Weber knows what winning is.

Senior Chris Gibson sets the pace.

Girls' Track Team; (Front Row): Mrs. Bodnar—Coach, C. Gibson, P. Trocchio, S. Ameling, M. Lakatos, L. Davis. (Second Row): L. Weber, J. Hedler, T. Ahern, D. Patterson.

The 1976 girls' track team, coached by Mrs. Vicky Bodnar, finished sixth at the Akron City Girls' Track Meet. Their city record was three and five, and overall the team was three and seven. The girls practiced every night after school with additional workouts on some Saturdays. Sophomore Lynn Weber qualified for the state meet in the discus, and Sophomore Jessie Hedler was a qualifier for districts in the hurdles. Other outstanding competitors were: Lynn Weber, Most Improved; Jessie Hedler, Most Valuable and Best Rookie; Best in Field Events, Lynn Weber; and Best in Track, Sue Rogers.

Mermaids make big waves

Crawling her way to a free-style victory is senior Kris Wagner.

Senior Ellen Spetrino waits at the edge for her turn.

Girls' Swim Team; (Front Row): J. Gates, W. Osborne. (Second Row): L. Williamson, S. Shaw, M. Trasancos, M. Fair, S. Manos, D. Allen, L. McDonald, E. Colley, C. Clark, M. Mundy, R. Pfleuger, M. Minter. (Third Row): L. Clark N. O'Neill, M. MacInnis, M. Shriver, L. Ludwig, K. Wagner, L. Wathen, M. Dillon, J. Rammel, E. Spetrino, S. Stutler, K. Fawcett, P. Walter.

Sophomore Mary Dillon observes her opponent's position in the race.

Michelle Fair and Shelly Manos plan strategy with Coach White.

Sally Shaw uses all her effort to finish first in the butterfly.

Senior Leslie Clark displays her ability in the breast-stroke.

The 1976 girls' swim team was coached by Mrs. Judy White and Mrs. Alice Fawcett. With only five seniors, the girls compiled a four and three record. They were fourth in the Firestone Relays and seventh in the Copley Invitational. The swimmers practiced every morning from 6:30 to 8:00, and the divers worked out after school. Outstanding swimmers were: Nancy O'Neill, Most Valuable; Kris Wagner, the Nanette Clark Most Dedicated Award; Leslie Clark, Most Improved Varsity Swimmer; and Michele MacInnis, Most Improved Junior Varsity Swimmer.

CROSS COUNTRY

Firestone	47	Garfield 69, HOBAN	21
FIRESTONE	18	Buchtel	45
Firestone	42	NORTH 34, Springfield	108
FIRESTONE	25	Ellet	32
Firestone	43	Central-Hower 80, BRUNSWICK	21
FIRESTONE	15	East	48
FIRESTONE	34	Kenmore 59, St. V	36
FIRESTONE	19	South	36

Goodyear Invitational	Twelfth Place
Ashland Invitational	Eleventh Place
Sectional	Seventh Place
City Series	Second Place

FOOTBALL

FIRESTONE	0	COPLEY	0
Firestone	0	REVERE	20
Firestone	6	BUCHTEL	19
Firestone	0	GARFIELD	26
Firestone	0	NORTH	6
FIRESTONE	13	South	6
Firestone	0	CENTRAL-HOWER	8
Firestone	0	ELLET	33

SOCCER

Firestone	0	HUDSON	2
FIRESTONE	2	WWR	1
FIRESTONE	2	Cuyahoga Falls	0
FIRESTONE	3	Garfield	1
FIRESTONE	7	North	1
FIRESTONE	1	Buchtel	0
FIRESTONE	3	Stow	1
FIRESTONE	3	Ellet	0
Firestone	1	CENTRAL-HOWER	2
FIRESTONE	4	East	0
Firestone	0	COPLEY	2

District Tournament

FIRESTONE	2	North	0
Firestone	0	BUCHTEL	1

City Series First Place

GOLF

Firestone	336	UPPER ARLINGTON	314
FIRESTONE	336	Revere	346
Firestone	159	ELLET	153
Firestone	168	WADSWORTH	165
FIRESTONE	168	Revere	174
FIRESTONE	152	Central-Hower	206
FIRESTONE	164	Alliance	180
FIRESTONE	162	Kenmore	172
Firestone	325	GLEN-OAK	306
Firestone	325	HOOVER	314
FIRESTONE	325	Lincoln	350
FIRESTONE	153	East	195
Firestone	164	RAVENNA	158
Firestone	164	CUYAHOGA FALLS	163
FIRESTONE	317	Upper Arlington	345
FIRESTONE	149	Ravenna	154
FIRESTONE	153	Garfield	158

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Firestone	55	REVERE	63
FIRESTONE	69	Garfield	63
FIRESTONE	66	Glen-Oak	64
Firestone	45	BUCHTEL	52
FIRESTONE	63	Worthington	43
Firestone	28	NORTH	30
Firestone	52	BARBERTON	84
Firestone	74	ELLET	85
Firestone	41	CENTRAL-HOWER	52
Firestone	80	EAST	81
Firestone	47	CUYAHOGA FALLS	48
FIRESTONE	55	Kenmore	46
Firestone	53	STOW	68
FIRESTONE	76	Copley	51
Firestone	37	SOUTH	54
Firestone	68	KENT ROOSEVELT	69

Sectional Tournament

Firestone	60	BARBERTON	104

JV BASKETBALL

Firestone	48	REVERE	49
Firestone	39	GARFIELD	57
FIRESTONE	77	Glen-Oak	52
Firestone	49	BUCHTEL	51
FIRESTONE	58	Worthington	44
Firestone	50	NORTH	51
Firestone	61	BARBERTON	77
Firestone	47	KENT ROOSEVELT	55
FIRESTONE	63	Ellet	54
Firestone	43	CENTRAL-HOWER	51
Firestone	55	EAST	68
Firestone	41	CUYAHOGA FALLS	48
FIRESTONE	51	Kenmore	32
Firestone	47	STOW	48
Firestone	56	COPLEY	77
Firestone	48	SOUTH	77

SWIMMING

FIRESTONE	120	Garfield	20
FIRESTONE	102	Buchtel	52
FIRESTONE	105	Warren Harding 92, Wooster	83
FIRESTONE	109	North	46
FIRESTONE	103	WWR	68
FIRESTONE	86	Worthington	85
Firestone	64	GLEN-OAK	105
FIRESTONE	117	Central-Hower	38
FIRESTONE	92	East	64
Firestone	65	UPPER ARLINGTON	107
FIRESTONE	100	Kenmore	56
FIRESTONE	97	Berea	75
FIRESTONE	98	Cuyahoga Falls	74
Firestone	77	UNIVERSITY SCHOOL	95
FIRESTONE	105	Copley	67
Firestone	73	FAIRVIEW PARK	98
FIRESTONE	100	Hoover	72

Fairview Relays	First Place
Firestone Relays	Second Place
Upper Arlington Relays	Fourth Place
City Series	First Place
District	Second Place
State	Eighth Place

WRESTLING

Firestone	9	GARFIELD	54
Firestone	16	BUCHTEL	37
Firestone	10	NORTH	48
FIRESTONE	31	ELLET	31
FIRESTONE	45	Central-Hower	19
Firestone	28	EAST	35
FIRESTONE	28	Kenmore	27
Firestone	11	SOUTH	48

TENNIS

FIRESTONE	5	Garfield	0
FIRESTONE	5	Ravenna	0
FIRESTONE	5	Buchtel	0
FIRESTONE	5	Western Reserve	0
FIRESTONE	5	Wooster	0
Firestone	2	COLUMBUS WHETSTONE	3
Firestone	1	UPPER ARLINGTON	4
FIRESTONE	4	North	1
FIRESTONE	5	Youngstown Boardman	0
FIRESTONE	4	Ellet	1
Firestone	2	UNIVERSITY SCHOOL	3
Firestone	2	SHAKER HEIGHTS	3
FIRESTONE	5	Central Hower	0
FIRESTONE	5	Cuyahoga Falls	0
FIRESTONE	5	East	0
FIRESTONE	5	Toledo Sylvania	0
FIRESTONE	5	Kenmore	0
FIRESTONE	5	St. Vincent-St. Mary	0
FIRESTONE	5	Revere	0
FIRESTONE	3	Cuyahoga Falls	2
Firestone	2	TOLEDO OTTAWA HILLS	3
FIRESTONE	4	Toledo St. John	1
FIRESTONE	5	South	0
FIRESTONE	5	Walsh	0
FIRESTONE	5	Mansfield Malabar	0
FIRESTONE	4	Canton Lehman	1

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT
Cris Wilcox—First Place
Kevin Tucker and Lou Konstan—First Place
Mike Cope and Brian Rosenthal—Second Place
Howard Freedman—Fourth Place
Chris Harris—Sixth Place

DISTRICT TOURNAMENT
Cris Wilcox—First Place
Kevin Tucker and Lou Konstan—First Place

STATE TOURNAMENT
Cris Wilcox—defeated in round 1
Kevin Tucker and Lou Konstan—defeated in round 2

OHIO HIGH SCHOOL INVITATIONAL TENNIS TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

Round 1	FIRESTONE	5	North Olmstead	0
Round 2	FIRESTONE	5	Medina	0
Round 3	FIRESTONE	5	Cloverleaf	0
Round 4	FIRESTONE	5	Wooster	0
Round 5	FIRESTONE	3	Shaker Heights	2

NORTHEAST OHIO DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP—FIRST PLACE

Round 6	FIRESTONE 5	Toledo Maumee	0

NORTHERN OHIO REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP—FIRST PLACE

FINALS	Firestone 2	KETTERING ALTER	3

BASEBALL

Firestone	3	GARFIELD	6
FIRESTONE	7	Copley	2
FIRESTONE	10	Buchtel	4
Firestone	3	STOW	4
Firestone	8	WWR	13
FIRESTONE	3	Springfield	2
Firestone	7	TALLMADGE	11
Firestone	4	NORTH	9
FIRESTONE	11	Ellet	5
Firestone	1	WADSWORTH	2
FIRESTONE	7	East	4
Firestone	6	BARBERTON	9
FIRESTONE	20	Buchtel	3
FIRESTONE	9	Central-Hower	2
FIRESTONE	6	Hoover	1
Firestone	4	KENMORE	6
Firestone	0	WADSWORTH	6
FIRESTONE	7	Stow	4
Firestone	3	CUYAHOGA FALLS	8
FIRESTONE	14	South	5
FIRESTONE	18	Walsh	2
FIRESTONE	2	North	0

City Series Playoffs

FIRESTONE	5	East	4
Firestone	1	GARFIELD	3

City Series Second Place

TRACK

Firestone	53	GARFIELD	74
Firestone	53	BUCHTEL	74
Firestone	50	CUYAHOGA FALLS	77
Firestone	47	NORTH	80
FIRESTONE	91	Ellet	36
Firestone	48	Central-Hower 46, WADSWORTH	65
FIRESTONE	69	East	58
FIRESTONE	93	Kenmore	34
FIRESTONE	72	WWR	55
FIRESTONE	70	South	57
Firestone	47	KENT ROOSEVELT	80

Hendricks' Relays	Eighth Place
Rubber-City Relays	Third Place
City Series	Third Place

GYMNASTICS

Firestone 63.1	STOW 64.1
FIRESTONE 67.15	Hoban 52.95
FIRESTONE 59.45	South 15.65
FIRESTONE 46.8	Ellet 40.3
FIRESTONE 64.1	Elms 63.1
FIRESTONE 58.3	Garfield 46.25
FIRESTONE 54.05	North 35.85
FIRESTONE 1	Central Hower 0
FIRESTONE 54.9	East 33.8
Firestone 68.15	KENMORE 70.55

City Record 6-1
Season Record 8-2
City Gymnastics Meet—Second Place

SWIMMING

FIRESTONE 86	Canton Glen Oak 81
FIRESTONE 98	Massillon 73
FIRESTONE 119	Kent Roosevelt 52
Firestone 72	COPLEY 100
Firestone 67	WESTERN RESERVE ACADEMY 104
Firestone 61	CANTON HOOVER 107
FIRESTONE 100	Jackson 72

Firestone Relays—Fourth Place
Copley Invitational—Seventh Place
Season Record 4-3

TRACK

Firestone 25	WADSWORTH 73
FIRESTONE 51.5	Garfield 42.5
Firestone 43	BUCHTEL 55
Firestone 32	NORTH 71
FIRESTONE 60	Ellet 36
FIRESTONE 72	Central Hower 27
Firestone 33	EAST 68
Firestone 45	KENT ROOSEVELT 64
Firestone 15	KENMORE 82
Firestone 49	SOUTH 51

City Record 3-5
Season Record 3-7
City Track Meet—Sixth Place

BASKETBALL

FIRESTONE 22	Cuyahoga Falls 18
Firestone 36	OUR LADY OF THE ELMS 84
Firestone 38	KENMORE 46
FIRESTONE 59	Garfield 54
FIRETONE 57	Buchtel 32
Firestone 45	NORTH 55
Firestone 44	ELLET 47
Firestone 28	COPLEY 35
Firestone 38	COVENTRY 46
FIRESTONE 48	Central Hower 28
FIRESTONE 60	East 35
FIRESTONE 38	South 28

City Record 5-3 Overall Record 6-6
State Sectionals

Firestone 41	CUYAHOGA FALLS 42

VOLLEYBALL

Firestone 0	GARFIELD 2
FIRESTONE 2	Buchtel 0
FIRESTONE 2	North 1
FIRESTONE 2	Ellet 1
FIRESTONE 2	Central Hower 0
FIRESTONE 2	South 0
FIRESTONE 2	East 0
FIRESTONE 2	KENMORE 2
Firestone 1	

Season Record 6-2
Playoffs

Firestone 0	GARFIELD 2

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Presenting the

Firestone's principal, Joseph Friedman

"Education is man's most noble adventure . . . education is not, nor can it be considered, the answer to all mankind's hopes, dreams, and ills. Our trust is that the young adult will leave with an appreciation of life and an understanding of his role in society . . . maturity is the end product of self-discipline, not self-expression . . . I have and shall continue to devote my total energy to enhancing the opportunities for our students, staff, and community . . . our school is not only my love but my life."

Joseph Friedman

Joseph Friedman

An assistant principal's job demands variety

Calvin Tritt believes that education is that all-important process by which we are able to develop our minds, characters, and abilities. Phyllis Lerch feels that education serves as a stepping stone to arrive at a desired goal.

Calvin Tritt

Phyllis Lerch

Firestone administration

Ruth Courtney, Kay Fluke, Louise Jacobs

Counselors open doors

Ruth Courtney believes students should discipline themselves to gain knowledge, move toward a commitment or a clearly considered pattern of thought and action, and then do a little dreaming. The dreaming is to gain courage for the possible.

Kay Fluke feels that education is important if we are to develop a society of intelligent citizens responsible for the preservation and maintenance of our freedoms in a democracy.

Louise Jacobs believes that education is a process which opens the door of your mind and develops your curiosity and your desire to seek knowledge throughout your life.

A secretary's work is never done

Jeanette Mirman

Linda McElwain

Wilma Coffield

Wendy Cramer

Sarah Kelley

Each secretary has a specific job to do. Mrs. Jeanette Mirman is Mr. Friedman's personal secretary. Miss Linda McElwain is the personal secretary of Mr. Tritt. Mrs. Wilma Coffield is in charge of business matters and college transcripts for seniors. Mrs. Wendy Cramer is the secretary in charge of the attendance office. Mrs. Sarah Kelley is the paraprofessional assisting Sister Jean Babeaux.

ADAMSON, CAROL
IOE, Cheerleaders, IOE Club, Typing I-Advanced, Booster Club. BS U. of Akron

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Photography, Painting, Drawing and Design, Art Club, Photography Club. MA Kent State

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Typing I, Notehand, Personal Typing, IOE (Senior), FSA, Senior IOE Club. BS U. of Akron

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Alg.-Trig., Algebra II, Ref. Math, Track Coach. MEd Boston College

GUY, BRADLEY
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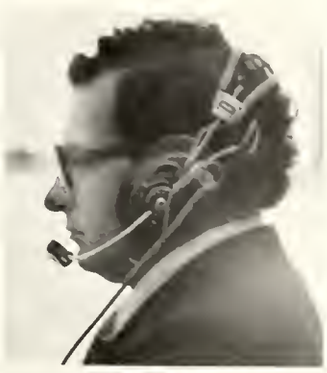

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Bookkeeping I,II. BA Duquesne U.

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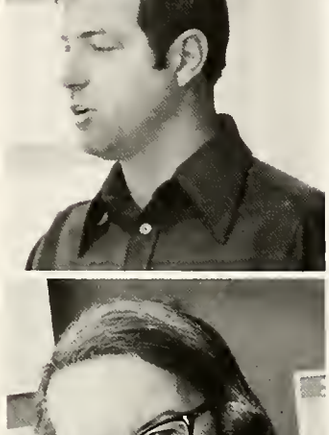

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WHITE JUDITH
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WHITNEY, ROBERT
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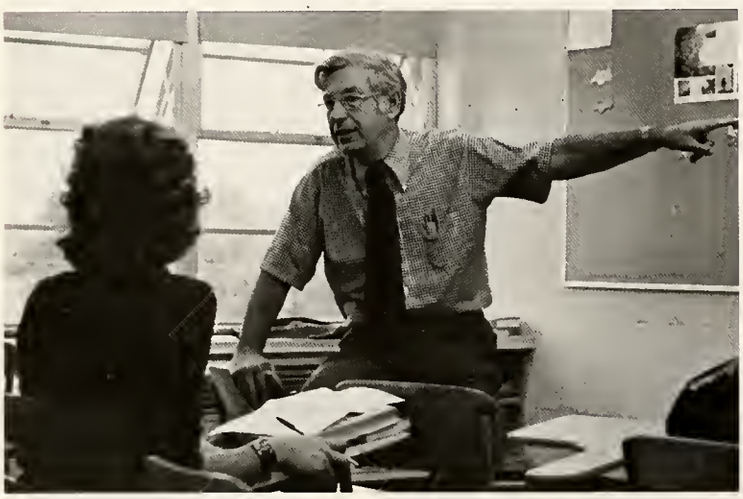
The cafeteria workers take time out from a busy day.

The competent Falcon custodians keep the school functioning smoothly.

A teacher's job demands perseverance



Mr. Blake points out an important fact to an interested student.

Dedication and determination brought out the best in this year's administration. They dedicated their time to assist those who needed help whether it was for scholastic or athletic reasons. Their determination in helping these students showed up in many areas which were easily recognized.

Mrs. Smith assists an eager student in the Home Ec Room.

Coach Mick Viland plans the strategy for the next play.

Mrs. Weiss uses audio-visual aids.

Another "Whitney guarantee"?

Mr. Lentine directs Firestone's number one marching band.

Coach Knight expresses his opinion at a varsity basketball game.

Mr. Parker takes the attendance in the Student Center.

The 1975-1976 coaching staff is introduced during a fall pep assembly.

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AMELING, MICHAEL—Cross Country 3,4; NHS 3,4; Track 2,3,4; VOLPLANE 4.

ANDERS, DEBORAH

ANDERSON, JEFFREY

ANDREEFF, MEG—Banquet Comm. 4; Booster Club 2,3; FOCUS 3; GAA 2,3,4, Sec. 4; Girls Basketball 2,3,4; Girls Bowling 2; Girls Track 2,3; Girls Volleyball 3; Music Production 2,3; Orchestra 2,3,4; Stage Band 4; VOLPLANE 4.

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ARMSTRONG, SYLVIA—IOE 3,4.

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AWADALLA, SYLVIA—Activities Comm. 4; French Club 4; GAA 2; Girls Bowling 2; NHS 4; NHS Tutor 4; Sr. Comm. Chair; Projects Comm. Chair. 4.

AYOUP, LEANN—A Capella Choir 4; Activities Comm. 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Gift & Flower Comm. 4; Jr. Girls Ensemble 3; Picnic Comm. 4; Sr. Week Comm. 4; Soph. Choir 2; Teambackers 3.

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BAIN, GEORGE—A Capella Choir 3,4; Baseball 2; Soccer 2,3; Soph. Choir 2; Swimming Mgr. 2,3; Water Polo 4.

BALL, ERIC—Focus 3,4; Picnic Comm. 4.

BALLARD, MARK—Service Club 3,4; Soccer 4; May Court 3; Coalition 3.

BALOUGH, SALLY

BANGS, MICHAEL

BARBERNITZ, THOMAS

BARNETT, SUE—A Capella Choir 4; Banquet Comm. 4; Catalina 3,4; Homeroom Reps 3; Majorette 4; Marching Band 2,3,4; Orchestra 3; May Court 3; Coalition 2; Symphonic Band 2,3,4.

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BARTOO, JAMES—Chess Club 2; Class Play 4; Sr. Homeroom Treas.

BATUG, CLAUDIA—Art Club 4; Artistic Comm. 4; Music Production 4; Class Play 4.

BAUMAN, GLORIA—Catalina 4; Elem. Exp. 4; GAA 2; Girls Swimming 3; Picnic Comm. 4; Spanish Club 4.

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BILLMAN, MARIAN

BIRD, KARIN—Baccalaureate Comm. 4; Chair. 4; Elem. Exp. 4; Guard 2,3,4; Marching Band 2,3,4; NHS 4, Tutor 4; Sr. Comm. Chairman 4; Class Play 4; Symphonic Band 2,3,4; Project Comm. 4.

BLACK, CLAUDIA—Commencement Comm. 4; Noon Movie 4; Spanish Club 2,3,4.

BLAZEY, RUTH—A Capella Choir 3; Attendance Worker 2; Cheerleader 2; Elem. Exp. 4; IOE 3; Soph. Choir 2.

BLEIMAN, BRUCE

BLY, KIMBERLY—A Capella Choir 4; Activities Comm. 4; Banquet Comm. 4; Booster Club 2; Girls Glee Club 3,4; Homecoming Court 4; Office Assistants 4; Red Cross 2; Soph. Choir 2; May Court 2; Projects Comm. 4.

BOND, KURT—OWE 4.

BOOKER, JOE—Football 2.

BOUCHER, JOHN—Football 2; Outdoor Ed. 4.

BRANDSTETTER, BONNIE—LRC Club 3,4.

BRASAEMLE, KARLA—LRC Club 4; Marching Band 2,3,4; Merit Scholar 4; NHS 3,4; Orchestra 4; Symphonic Band 2,3,4; Academic Challenge 4.

BREKKE, KARLA—OWE 4.

BREMER, BARBARA—Art Club 2,3; German Club 2; Voices 4.

BRICKER, KEVIN—Sr. Homeroom Treas.

BRICKNER, JEAN—Soph. Choir 2.

BRIEFMAN, RICHARD—OWE 4.

BROWN, JUDY—A Capella Choir 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Commencement Comm. 4; Counselor's Aide 3; Inter-Club Council 3,4; Jr. Girls Ensemble 3; NHS 3,4, Tutor 4; Office Assistants 3,4; Peer Advisors 4, Chairman 4; Red Cross 4; Class Play 4; Service Club 2,3,4, Pres. 3,4; Soph. Choir 2; Soph. Girls Ensemble 2; Counselor Advisory Comm. 4; Outdoor Ed. 3,4.

BROWN, KIMBERLY—Banquet Comm. 4; Booster Club 2; Focus 3; Prom Comm. 4; Soph. Choir 2; Ski Club 2,3.

BROWNFIELD, STEPHEN—Bridge Club 4; Cafeteria Worker 2; Chess Club 4; Peer Advisors 4; Service Club 4.

BUJORIAN, BOB

BURGY, BAMBI—Booster Club 2; GAA 2.

BURK, RICHARD

BURNHAM, BRENDA—A Capella Choir 3,4; Athletic Sec. 4; Attendance Worker 4; Banquet Comm. 4; Booster Club 2,3,4; Cap & Gown Comm. 4; Catalina 2,3,4; Gift & Flower Comm. 4; Commencement Comm. 4; Focus 4; French Club 2,3,4, Sec. 4; Homecoming Court 3; Homeroom Reps 2,3,4, Pres. 4; Inter-Club Council 4; Jr. Girls Ensemble 3; Madrigals 3,4; Music Production 3; NHS 3,4; Office Assistant 3; Pride Comm. 3; Class Play 4; Soph. Choir 2; VOLPLANE 4; Ski Club 4; Outdoor Ed. 3,4.

BUZBY, CYNTHIA—Homecoming Court 4, Crowner 4.

CARROLL, TOM—Golf 3,4.

CHAPMAN, KATHI—Commencement Comm. 4; Elem. Exp. 4; Class Play 4; Spanish Club 3,4; Outdoor Ed. 3,4.

CHAPMAN, MARY—NHS 3,4; Tennis 4; VOLPLANE 3,4, Co-Editor 4.

CHARLTON, D. STEVEN—A Capella

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Choir 3,4; Football 2; OWE 4.

CHOKREFF, JEANNINE—IOE 3,4.

CHRISTOFF, GINA—Focus 2,4; Class Play 4.

CHURCH, DONALD—Homeroom Reps 4; Soccer 2,3,4; May Court 2; Wrestling 2.

CIRIELLO, MARY—Activities Comm. 4; Booster Club 2; Catalina 2; Focus 3; Picnic Comm. 4; Class Play 4; Stage Crew 4.

CISTON, CHARLES—Cafeteria Workers 3,4; Hall Guards 3; LRC Club 2.

CLARK, LESLIE—Banquet Comm. 4; Booster Club 3,4, Treas 4; Catalina 3,4; Girls Bowling 2; Girls Swimming 2,3,4; Guard 2,3,4; IOE 3,4; NHS 3,4; Prom Comm. 4; Teambackers 3.

CLAYPOOL, JIM—Focus 4; VOLPLANE 3.

COLLINS, DEBORAH

COLLINS, MICHAEL

COMUNALE, MONICA—Attendance Worker 3; Sr. Week Comm. 4.

CONLEY, BRIAN

CONLEY, JOHN

CONNER, LAURA—Concert Band 2,3; IOE 3,4; Marching Band 2,3; Flag Squad 2,3.

COPE, MICHAEL—NHS 3,4; Tennis 2,3,4.

CROMLEIGH, JIM—VOLPLANE 4.

CULLER, CRAIG—Cross Country 2,3,4; Pride Comm. 2; Track 2,3,4, Capt. 4.

CUNNINGHAM, BILL—Baseball 2,3,4; Football 2,3.

CURLEY, FRANCES—Activities Comm. 4; Girls Glee Club 4; Guard 3,4; Office Assistants 3; Picnic Comm. 4.

CURSIO, RACHELLE—Cap & Gown Comm. 4; Sr. Week Comm. 4.

DALTON, DAVID

DAVIS, BETSY—A Capella Choir 4; Booster Club 2; Girls Glee Club 3; Jr. Girls Ensemble 3; Musical Production 4; Soph. Choir 2; Soph. Girls Ensemble 2; Sr. Girls Ensemble 4.

DEMBOSKY, STEVEN

DEMBOSKY, TOM—Hall Guards 4.

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DICKSON, BRIDGET—Marching Band 2,3; Music Production 2,3; Orchestra 2,3; Symphonic Band 2,3.

DIDATO, VINCE—A Capella Choir 3,4; Baccalaureate Comm. 4; Bowling League 4; Green & Gold Diggers Band 3,4; Homeroom Reps 3; Music Production 3; NHS 3,4, Tutor 4; Red Cross 4; Soph. Choir 2; Stage Band 4.

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DONAHUE, CHRISTOPHER—NHS 4; Class Play 4.

DORSEY, KENNETH—A Capella Choir 3,4; Cafeteria Worker 4; Madrigals 4; Music Production 2,3,4; Soph. Choir 2.

DREXLER, ROBERT—F-Club 2,3,4; French Club 3; NHS 3,4, Tutor 4; Picnic Comm. 4; Swimming 2,3,4, Co-Capt. 4; Water Polo 3,4.

DUKE, ANDREW—Basketball 2,3,4; Hall Guards 3,4; Homeroom Reps 2,3; Gym Leader 2,3,4.

ECKARD, KIMBERLY—Athletic Sec. 2,4; Booster Club 2,4; Elem. Exp. 4; Girls Glee Club 4; Homeroom Reps 2,4; Pride Comm. 2; Prom Comm. 4; Red Cross 4; Voices 4.

ERVIN, LIZ—A Capella Choir 3,4; Activities Comm. 4; Athletic Sec. 4; Attendance Worker 3; Baccalaureate Comm. 4; Banquet Comm. 4; Booster Club 2; Girls Glee Club 2,3,4; Homeroom Reps 4; NHS 3,4, Tutor 4; Office Assistants 2; Soph. Choir 2; Sr. Girls Ensemble 4; Outdoor Ed. 4.

ETHERIDGE, FRED—Music Production 4; Stage Crew 4; Gym Leader 4.

EVANS, LINDA—A Capella Choir 4; Banquet Comm. 4; Booster Club 2; Elem. Exp. 4; Girls Glee Club 2,3,4; Girls Track 4; Jr. Girls Ensemble 3; Soph. Choir 2; Sr. Girls Ensemble 4; Soph. Girls ensemble.

FEE, BRUCE—Soph. Choir 2.

FENDER, BILL—Baseball 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; F-Club 4; Hall Guard 4; Noon Movie 2; Prom Comm. 4.

FLOHR, JOE—Basketball 2; Focus 3; Football 2,3,4, Capt. 4; Track 2,3,4; Gym Leader 4.

FLOHR, MARGARET—Activities Comm. 4; Booster Club 2,3,4, VP 4; Elem. Exp. 4; IOE 3,4; Office Assistants 2,4; Prom Comm. 4; Sr. Week Comm. 4, Teambackers 3.

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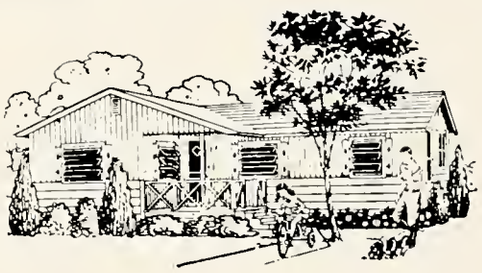

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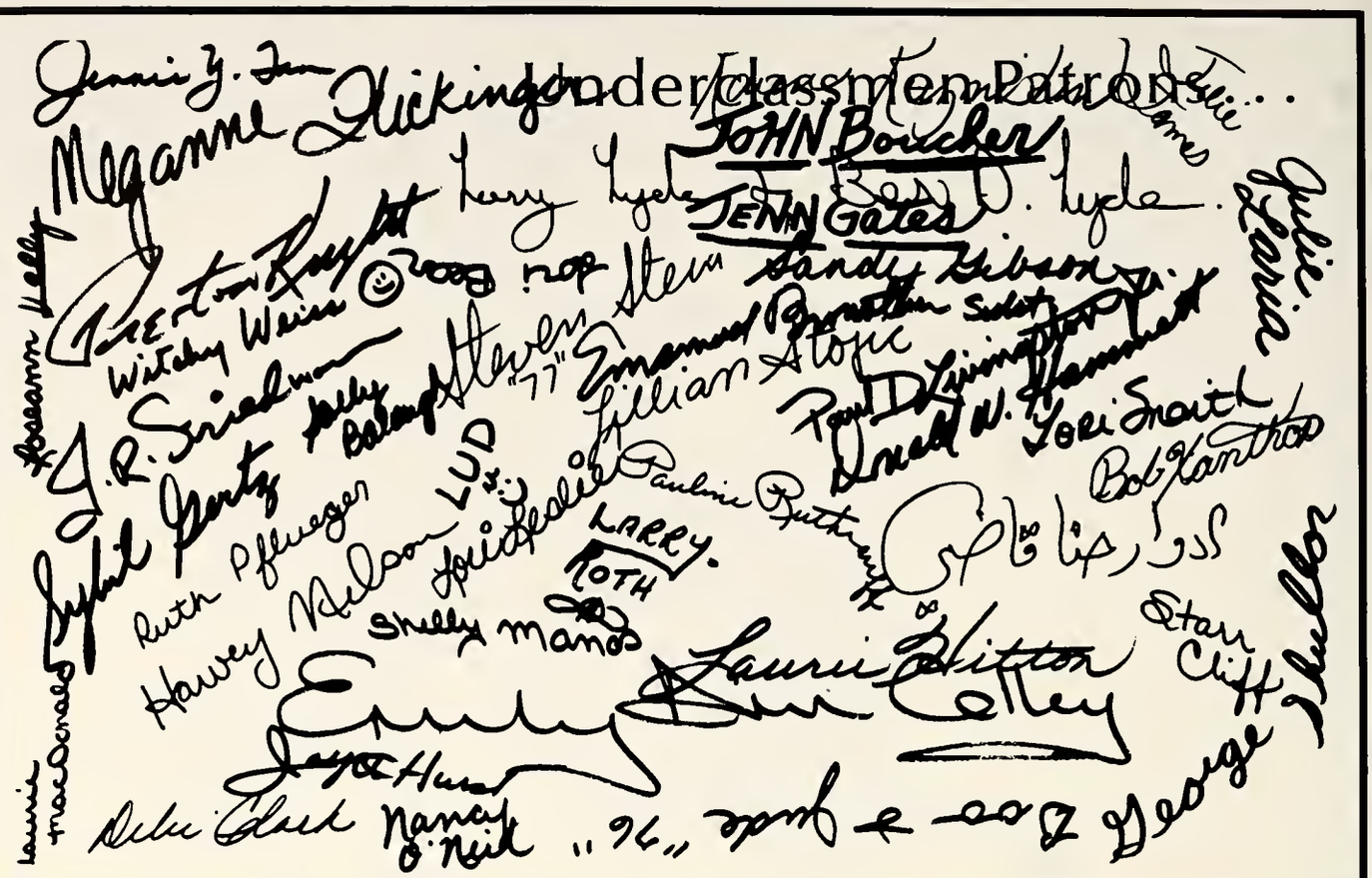

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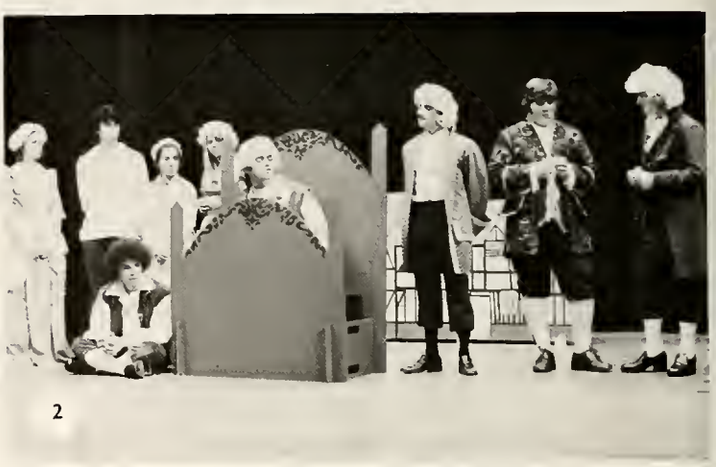

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